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5th Sept.	Nalders	Karachi & P. Gulf 10am
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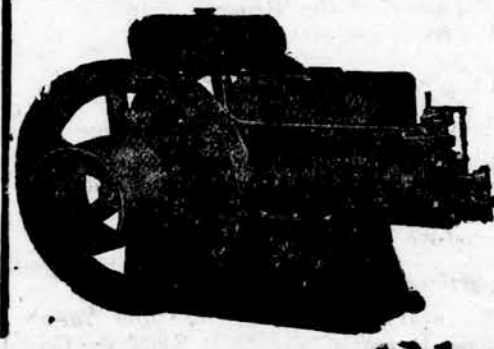
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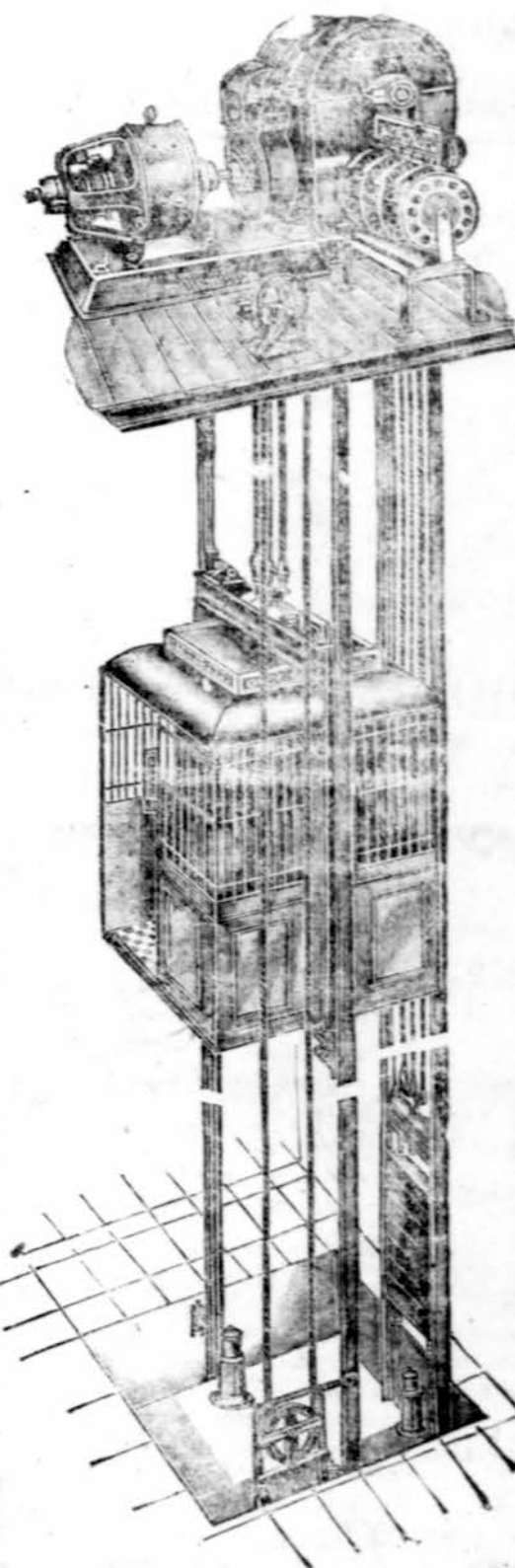
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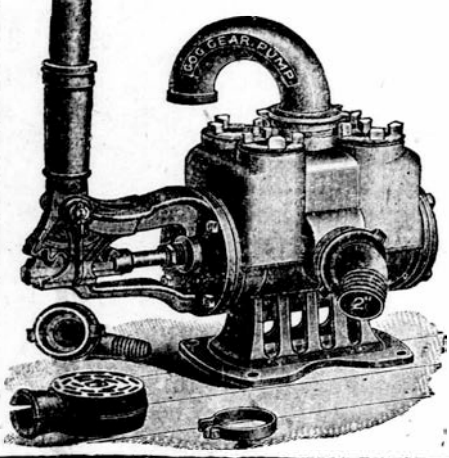
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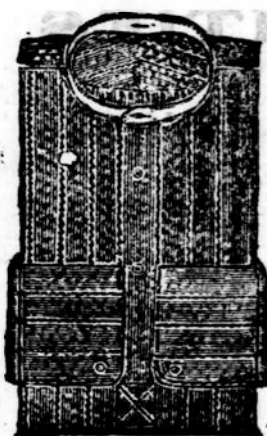
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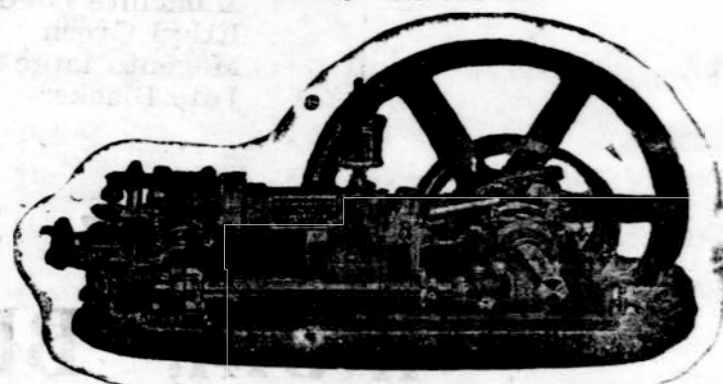
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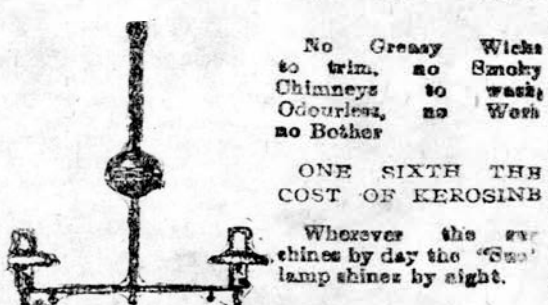
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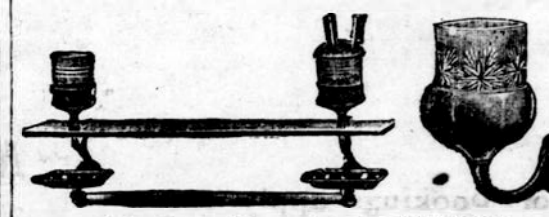
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TO BE LET.

TO BE LET—Office in Fort, Tamarind Lane, furnished. Apply to Box No. 1112, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." Telephone No. 3836.

TO BE LET—A very few godowns and rooms for office in the Great Western Building in Apollo Street only. Apply **JETHMAL NAKHANS & Co. Rooms No. 1-2-3, on second floor.**

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

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CARS are available for **Bandra Feast, Nasik Pilgrimage and Poona Races** from Bombay and back. Cars are supplied on weekly and monthly contracts at reasonable rates and reduced rate to Shareholders. For particulars apply to Messrs. **SHAW & Co., Managing Agents, The Phoenix Taxi and Transport Service, Limited, 315, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay Tel. No. 4887, or Garage at Jetha Street, Lamington Road.**

NOTICE

TENDERS are invited till 30th of September, 1920, for the purchase of:—One Horizontal Compound Jet Condensing Corlis Engine by Hick Hargreaves, 1,600 I.H.P. Boiler Pressure 130 Lbs. per Sq. inch, H. P. Cylinder 31" L. P. Cylinder 60". Stroke 6 feet. Revolutions 63 per minute. Fly wheel 24 feet diam. 25 rpm over head travelling 16 tons crane. The Engine working by appointment with the Manager of the Morarjee Gooludas S. & W. Co. Ltd., Parel, Bombay. **MORARJI GOULDAS & CO., Secretaries, Treasurers & Agents, The Morarjee Gooludas S. & W. Co., Ltd.**

THE HATIM MILLS, LTD., SURAT.

WASTE FOR SALE.

BONDA WASTE and ROVING ENDS for Sale. See personally. **R. M. HATIMBHAY & CO., Agents.**

THE HINDUSTAN TANNERIES, LIMITED BOMBAY

NOTICE is HEREBY GIVEN that the STATUTORY MEETING of the shareholders of the Hindustan Tanneries, Ltd. will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 65, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay on **TUESDAY, the 21st day of SEPTEMBER, 1920** at 3 p.m. (S.T.) to transact the following business:—

To receive and adopt the Statutory Report and Audited Statement of receipts and payments made upto 16th August 1920.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to 28th September, 1920, both days inclusive.

Dated the 26th day of August, 1920.

By the Order of the Board **PEERBHAY KOCHHAR & Co., Agents.**

H. E. H. THE NIZAM'S P. W. D.

NOTICE.

WANTED—UPPER SUBORDINATES on salaries ranging from O. S. Rs. 100 to Rs. 200 with Horse Allowance of O. S. Rs. 25 per mensem for survey operations. The appointments will be temporary and will, for the present, last for one year. Applications stating age, qualifications and previous experience with copies of testimonials should be sent to the undersigned on or before the 30th September 1920.

NOTE—O. S. Rs. 116 are approximately equal to B. G. Rs. 100. **M. KARAMAT ULLAH, Chief Engineer and Joint Secretary, G. B. H. E. H. The Nizam's P. W. D., Hyderabad-Deccan.**

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE BOMBAY CATHOLIC COPARTNERSHIP HOUSING SOCIETY, BOMBAY.

THE THIRD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Society will be held at 11 a.m. on **SUNDAY, the 19th instant, at the CATHOLIC LIBRARY, CAVEL, to transact the business separately notified to members.**

P. L. SILVA, Honorary Secretary.

LOST RS. 500.

REWARD RS. 25.

THE Public are informed to communicate to the undersigned if anybody is found dealing with the 5 Currency Nos. of Rs. 100 each bearing the Nos. XC 93 39040, XC 96 74649, DC/61 32662, CD/2 64579, and GB/56 13882 which are LOST while travelling between Malagon City and Victoria Terminus. The informant will be rewarded Rs. 25.

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FOR SALE.

SUGAR FACTORY, a going concern, MacNeil and Co., 700 Ton Sugar Plant, with Buildings, Godowns, and residence quarters for the Staff, land Twenty Acres (annual assessment Rs. 150 only) Arrange to be made to give inspection to intending Purchasers. Apply AGENTS, Sugar Company, 80, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

WANTED.

WANTED—A thoroughly experienced MANAGER to manage a wholesale chumist and druggist business with a thorough knowledge of book keeping, general administration. Applications with previous knowledge of testimonials should be sent according to qualifications. Apply to Box No. 1083, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle."

AUCTION SALE NOTICE

"THE DARRAGH SPINNING MILL", QUILON.

"DARRAGH SPINNING MILL", excellent ly situated at Quilon, with over 20,000 spindles, engine, boilers, and other machinery, buildings, stores, and site measuring nearly 15 acres, will be sold by the undersigned in Public Auction in the District Court premises, Tinnevely. Auction commencing at 12 noon, on the 4th day of October, 1920, under the orders of the Tinnevely District Court and subject to the confirmation of the District Judge, Tinnevely. Upset price is 7,01,000 rupees being first bid offered by Mr. Ramchodhal Amratlal, Ahmedabad. Purchaser should deposit on conclusion of bid 25 per cent. of sale amount and balance in two weeks; otherwise he will forfeit deposit and will be liable to losses, if any, on resale. Cheques on Banks will be accepted on verification. Inspecting bidders are invited to come and inspect the mill and other particulars can be had of the undersigned.

THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR, of the South Indian Mills Company, Limited, Tinnevely Bridge, Tinnevely.

THE INDO-LUSITANIA RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, LTD.

having its registered Office at 24, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the abovesaid Company with the authorised capital of Rs. 5,000,000 out of which the present issue of Rs. 2,500,000 has been issued under that is for application and its 3 on allotment. The said prospectus states inter alia that the chief objects are:—Agricultural, Forest and Mineral Resources Development in British and Portuguese India, Coconut Industry in Goa by erecting oil, coal and butter factory as well as plantation and landed at "D" Shed Prince's Dock on palm trees and brick works and steamship service between Goa and Bombay and other Ports. Copies of the full prospectus and form of application may be obtained at the Office of the Company or from its

BANKERS: THE BANCO NATIONAL ULTRA MARINO, Bombay, Nova Goa or Vasco or its branch.

THE CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA LIMITED, Bombay, Calcutta, Lahore, Amritsar, Karachi, Lyalpur, Akola and Jabal.

THE KARACHI BANK LIMITED, Karachi, Hyderabad (Sind) and Larkhana, or

SOLICITORS: Messrs. AMARCHAND and MANGALDAS, 11, Humnum Street, Fort, Bombay.

This Notice is not to be regarded as an invitation to the public to subscribe the Shares and application will only be received on the footing of the full prospectus and in the form issued therewith.

Dated this 7th day of September, 1920.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of cargo per Nippon Yusen Kaisha's S.S. "RANGOON MARU" are hereby informed of the steamer's arrival from New York via San Francisco, and requested to send in their Bills of Lading to this office for counter signature without delay, and take immediate delivery of their goods discharged in stream to survey damages. Cargo removed from the date of discharge. Captain J. C. Richards of Messrs. Ericson and Richards, Company's Surveyors, will be attending Docks every morning to survey damages. Cargo removed from the landing shed or warehouse is not entitled to the survey. No survey will be held on bag cargo in single gunnies. The Bills of Claims are to be sent into this office within one month from the date of steamer's arrival otherwise they will not be entertained.

T. TAGAMI, Manager, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Bombay Branch.

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE TOOLSIDAS TEJPAL MILLS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above named Company was held at the Registered Office of the Company at 72, Apollo Street, Fort, at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of **WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of September, 1920**, where the following resolutions were passed:

1. Resolved that the firm of Chhotalal Jugjiwan and Co. be recognised as Assignees and successors in business of Messrs. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co.

2. Resolved that the said firm of Chhotalal Jugjiwan and Co. be substituted in place and stead of Messrs. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co. as agents of the Company on the same terms and conditions as are contained in the agreement dated 23/2/1920 made between the Company and the one part and Messrs. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co. of the other part.

3. Resolved that a fresh agency agreement be entered into between the Company and Messrs. Chhotalal Jugjiwan and Co. and the seal of the Company be affixed in the presence of Messrs. Devidas Motilal Dalal and Vallabhdas Tejpai, two of the Directors of the Company, who shall also sign the said agency agreement and the same shall be countersigned by Mr. P. P. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co., the Chairman of the Board of Directors.

4. Resolved that in clause 8 of the Memorandum of Association (a) the words "Messrs. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co." be deleted and the words "Messrs. Chhotalal Jugjiwan and Co." be inserted. (b) the words "Messrs. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co." at line 12 thereof be deleted and the words "Messrs. Chhotalal Jugjiwan and Co." be inserted. (c) the words "Messrs. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co." at line 13 thereof be deleted and the words "Messrs. Chhotalal Jugjiwan and Co." be inserted. (d) the words "Messrs. Toolsidas Tejpai and Co." be deleted and the words "Messrs. Chhotalal Jugjiwan and Co." be inserted wherever the same occur; specially:— (a) in Article III, and (b) in Article 6.

5. Resolved that Messrs. Motichand and Devidas be and are hereby appointed to act as Solicitors of the Company.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1920.

By Order of the Board, **P. P. TOOLSIDAS TEJPAL & Co., MANEKAL CHAMSHI, Secretaries and Agents.**

WANTED.

A NEW ROAD ROLLER, 8 or 10 tons, Steam or oil driven; delivery within three months. Dealers to communicate with the Municipal Corporation for the City of Hyderabad (Sind), giving specifications and quotations.

NOTICE.

WANTED—A BRAMAH pattern SODA WATER MACHINE, continuous motion, to produce 100 to 150 dozen a day of highly aerated Soda water, complete and ready for work with gauges, pipes, ras-holder, generator and also with suitable hand turn over filler. Communicate with:—

THE CHIEF MEMBER OF COUNCIL, Kishangarh State, RAJPUTANA.

NOTICE.

CHINA MILLS LIMITED, (in voluntary liquidation.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a MEETING of the creditors of the abovesaid Company will be held at the registered office of the Company at No. 26, Forbes Street, Fort, Bombay, at 4 p.m. on **ATURDAY, the 9th day of October, 1920.**

Dated this 17th day of September, 1920. **N. P. WHADDIA, Mafatal Galgalbhai, Liquidators.**

IN THE MATTER OF THE CHINA MILLS, LIMITED, (in voluntary liquidation.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the abovesaid Company duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company at No. 26, Forbes Street, Fort, Bombay, on the 18th day of August, 1920, a resolution was duly passed to the effect:—

"That the China Mills Limited be wound up voluntarily with a view to sell the Company's land mill buildings and plant either by public auction or private contract as the Liquidator may think proper that its affairs be wound up at an early date and that the same be confirmed so as to make it a Special Resolution as required by Section 203 of the Indian Companies Act."

And at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 18th day of September 1920 the same resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution viz:—

"That the China Mills Limited be wound up voluntarily with a view to sell the Company's land mill buildings and plant either by public auction or private contract as the Liquidator may think proper and that its affairs be wound up at an early date."

And at such last mentioned meeting Messrs. N. P. Whaddia and Mafatal Galgalbhai were appointed honorary liquidators for the purposes of winding up the Company.

Dated this 15th day of September, 1920.

P. R. WADIA, Solicitor, RUTTONJEE CURSETJEE WADIA, Chairman.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following scrips or certificates in different Companies with transfers as stated below have been destroyed in the great fire at the Mulji Jetha Market on 22nd July, 1920, at the shop of our client, Mr. Morarji Dwarakadas.

Name of the Company.	Standing in the name of	Share Nos. and No. of Shares.
Tata Oil Mills Do.	Herbert Kemp Champaklal J. Nanabhai.	(10) 55557-55596 (5) 22802-22806
Bundji Portland Cement Co. Ltd.	F. F. Nizami	(210) 55556-565, 74702-709, 77311-312, 75614-623, 79681-685, 47312-316, 104578-607, 43029-033, 106467-65, 10501-570, 48758-767, 5391-922, 91696, 91705

Bombay Steam Navigation Co. Ltd.	Batani Chuni Lal Jeweller	(1) 13867
Do.	Falchhand Ruia.	(1) 5998
Alcock Ashdown Juggalkishore & Co. Ltd.	Loyalka	(1) 5149
Do.	Jagannath Santokiram	(3) 4491 to 4493
Do.	Rameshwar Das Birla	(16) 2264, 2633, 5982, 5983, 4226, 2757, 2329, 426, 242, 252, 4421, 4419, 5879, 5878, 1

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

ENGAGEMENTS.

TO-DAY.

The s.s. Plessy with the English mails leaves at 1 p.m.

RLY. MAIL TIMINGS.

The following are the hours of arrivals and departures of the principal mail and express trains at and from Victoria Terminus daily, standard time is given in all cases:—

G. I. P. RAILWAY.

	Arr.	Dep.
Punjab Mail (via Jubbulpore) ..	17.00	13.00
Calcutta Mail (via Jubbulpore) ..	13.15	21.00
Calcutta Mail (via Nagpur) ..	8.00	13.15
Madras Mail ..	8.40	21.00
Poono Mail ..	11.30	14.45
Inter and 3rd Poono Express ..	12.0	14.15
Poono Express ..	10.40	7.5
Dahli and Lucknow Express ..	9.00	21.30

B. B. and C. I. RAILWAY.

The following are the hours of arrivals and departures of the principal mail and express trains at and from Colaba station daily with effect from Thursday, the 1st July, 1920, standard time is given in all cases:—

*The Up Gujarat Mail will continue to stop at Bombay.

	Arr.	Dep.
Bombay-Peshwar Mail ..	14.0	15.0
*Gujarat Mail ..	11.10	20.30
Kathwar Express ..	7.45	20.45
Inter Passenger ..	21.30	7.30

at Grant Road, but the Down Gujarat Mail will not stop there.

NOTICE TO JURYMEN.

Gentlemen of the Special Jury Summoned for the current Criminal Sessions are required to attend at the High Court on Monday, the 20th instant, at 11-30 a.m. (S. T.).

ERAHMIN SAEHA.

Under the auspices of the Brahmin Sabha, Bombay a public lecture will be delivered on Saturday, the 18th at the "Commercial Museum Hall," Ram Tominus, Girgaum, by Prof. P. V. Kane, at 6-30 p.m. (S. T.).

CITY'S MORTALITY.

Total mortality in the city of Bombay Thursday was 117, 157 and 239 being on the corresponding days of the last year and the year before last respectively. Only on attack was registered from cholera.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Col. J. S. McNeill, V. D. and Officer in Charge of the 1/13th G. I. P. Railway Battalion (Indian Defence Force) will play a programme of music under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell, 6-15 p.m. to-day.

PAREL MAHILA MANDAL.

The Parel Mahila Mandal meets on Saturday, the 18th instant, in the Library Hall of the Parel Settlement of the Social Service League, Bombay, at 3 p.m. (S. T.). Mrs. Lakshmi Lalilak has consented to address the meeting on the occasion.

BOMBAY PRESIDENCY WOMEN'S COUNCIL.

There will be a public lecture for ladies on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd, at 6 p.m. at the Office of the Council at the Science Institute, Mayo Road, by Dr. Cairne, on "Syphilis and Child Welfare."

THE SOCIAL CLUB, LALBAUG.

Mr. L. T. Patankar will deliver a lecture on "Ganga's Celebration" on Chorgalli Parel, on Saturday, the 18th inst., at 9 p.m. when Mr. P. G. Kanikar of Tata and Sons Workmen's Institute will preside.

GUJARATI SAHIYA PARISHAD.

Under the auspices of the Science Committee of the Gujarati Sahitya Parishad public lecture with experiments will be delivered in Gujarati by Prof. S. J. Shah, on "The Principles on Chemistry," at the Vanita Vishram Hall, to-morrow, at 6 p.m.

BOMBAY STUDENTS' BROTHERHOOD.

Mr. S. K. Brahmandekar's lecture fixed in the programme for Saturday, the 18th instant, has been postponed till the 19th. Conversational Meeting of the Brotherhood will be held at the Headquarters on Saturday, the 18th instant, at 6 p.m. (S. T.). The classes will not meet.

THE G. I. P. RY. WORKMEN'S UNION

An extraordinary general meeting of the G. I. P. Railway Workmen's Union will be held at Poisarvi, Parel, on Saturday, the 18th September, 1920, at 6-30 p.m., when the

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BOMBAY AMUSEMENTS.

THE WARING COMPANY.

The Waring Company is to provide the only theatrical attraction in Bombay for tonight, and there is no sign yet that Bombay people are anywhere near getting tired of this company, which is having at the Excelsior Theatre a season which may become a record one. Full details of the attraction which Mr. Waring is providing during the ensuing week will be found in our advertising columns, and special attention may be directed to the performances which are down for Monday and Tuesday of "Our Mr. Hepplewhite," a whizzer had a long run at the criterion and is one of the most amusing of modern comedies.

THE EMPIRE.

At the Empire Theatre this week there is being shown a film which will interest all who believe, rightly or wrongly, that there is in this life a strong element of chance. Some men are born lucky; others are born rich; others again are born with the one or the other. Into which class the central characters in this film story may be placed will probably be a controversial subject, and the best judges will be those who have a flutter on the race course or on the share bazaar. It is an interesting film, well staged and well acted, and it is a film which the kind of people who patronise the Empire will find it being shown a topical film.

THE EMPRESS.

Those who patronise the Empress—and the number is large and is increasing weekly—are getting more and more interested in the cinema star who has often figured on the screen at this theatre, and he is now taking the leading role in a thrilling new serial which starts to-day and is entitled, "The Man of Might." This is a film which will satisfy to the full the appetite of those who like a film with plenty of incident. It is a film of absorbing interest, and it shows the great American cinema actor in a role of the kind that Duncan Hodge with plenty of risks—in which he is supported by a cast which is talented as well as strong.

The action of this film is its chief attraction. It is a film which whisks the audience from mountains to shipboard, from prairie desert to dens of fiendish wizardry. There are fights, fights, fights in the desert, on the water, on the ships, and the action is so fast and so thrilling that the audience will find it being shown a topical film.

THE EXCELSIOR.

"Profit and Loss" is the title of an attractive film which is being shown at the Excelsior Theatre. This is a film story with a moral—not the sort of moral that hits one in the eye, but just gently and subtly. It shows a man who is a miser and a miser to be either a profligate or a miser, and with a well-developed plot and pleasant acting it is a film which will pass an hour very pleasantly indeed.

With this film there is being shown another of the ever welcome "Around the Town" films telling us how the world goes.

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.

Eleanor Searle, a young singer, returning from her studies abroad, meets with a peculiar experience aboard a liner. A porter carrying her a large hand-box, who is stopped by Benjamin Staff playwright, who seeks to wrest from him the box which is a replica of one delivered to Staff's cabin the night before. She and her companion, a playmate and he goes to his cabin where he regales Wm. H. H. his cabin mate, with the story of his experience on deck with the beautiful young woman. That night Miss Searle is startled on deck by the presence of her father known as Arbutnot Ismay, an international money lender, who is in the habit of visiting the Cadogan Collar, owned by Alison Landis, an American actress and fiancée of the playwright, Staff, who is unaware of her presence on the steamer.

She has sent the hand-box to Staff's cabin and in his absence with the aid of an admirer, Arthur Arkroyd, hides the collar in the lining of a new dress. Eleanor, having made plans to have Staff carry the hand-box through the customs. At the pier there is a mix up of hand-boxes. Eleanor carrying off the one containing the priceless necklace. Ismay breaks into Staff's apartment to steal the collar, but is stunned by its disappearance. He is trailed by Miss Searle, who, whose life he has ruined because of the crook, and he is followed by her father before she can return the gem to Staff. He takes the necklace and spirits Miss Searle away to his shack on a deserted island in Long Island Sound.

Fearing arrest the thief returns to Staff's home to seek a reward for the information that Miss Searle has the necklace. Staff greets him with a gun, and he is in danger of being shot, but he is saved by the aid of Miss Searle, who, sensing Eleanor is in danger, tricks the chauffeur who had brought the crook to the city into the belief that he is a spy. He is joined by Staff, who, following the discovery of Miss Landis' perjury has turned his affections to Miss Searle. Both set out to rescue Eleanor, but the crook, having made his escape from Staff's home, arrives first at the island shack and attacks her. The rescuers appear in the nick of time. In a smashing fight, the crook is killed. Eleanor is saved, and the play ends with the couple in the arms of Staff at "The end."

CINEMA PRECIOUS.

The Universal Serial "Elmo the Fearless" enters its fifth and semi-final week to-day at the Cinema Precious. The story, as it proceeds, becomes more and more interesting. At one time it seems that all the troubles and worries of Elmo are about to end when he proposes to Edith and is accepted. But the gang acting under the advice of the unscrupulous lawyer, again traps Elmo in a solitary cabin in the forest, and binding his hands and feet, they leave him at the tender mercy of a burning forest. The suspense is thrilling, and the audience will gasp to know the fate of their hero, when the Episode ends, and they will have to wait for further seven days.

OUTTURN OF JUTE CROP.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 17.

The total outturn of the Jute crop in all jute producing districts of Bengal, Behar and Assam issued to-day is about 59 lakhs showing a deficit of about 16 lakhs. This shows a drop of production had a marked effect on the jute and gunny market. Jute shares became active and several stocks in this section made distinct advances.

SHALOM.

THE CAR OF 1920.

LAPSES FROM PRE-WAR EXCELLENCE

One great advantage of a long motor tour to the enthusiastic owner-driver is the remarkable amount of unusual information he is able to collect about the different types of new cars. At nearly every halting-place, either for meals or a night's rest, he is sure to come across a communicative soul with a latest 1920 model, or with first-hand and valuable knowledge of one or two cars which have not long been on the market. It is quite amazing, writes the Motoring correspondent of "The Times," how the accounts of new-fledged owners will sometimes differ from the stores and, by carefully comparing them and making due allowance for the biases of the disappointed and the unbridled enthusiasm of the fortunate, a fairly accurate estimate of 1920 cars may be arrived at.

In the course of some 2,000 odd miles over the principal highways and byways which lie between Caithness and Land's End, the present writer has heard tales and confessions and boasts, which would probably cause a good many manufacturers and agents sleepless nights for a wise and conscientious maker is quite as much perturbed by a customer's wild exaggeration of his car's capabilities as by another's fault finding. The man who, in the first place, careless rapture of ownership (the car being perhaps a successor to a 15-year old relic, bought secondhand and paid for again and again in repairs and replacements), will announce to all and sundry that he can climb Dashedown Hill on top gear with four up at 25 miles an hour, or cover "a measured mile" in 60 seconds, when the advertised real speed of his car is 20 per cent. less, is, I am told, an unmitigated nuisance. Not all his hearers believe his remarkable statements, but here and there his foolish words stick in the memory of an owner, or intending owner, of the same make of car, and it is not long before the manufacturers have yet another kind of letter to answer. "Why does my car only do 45 m.p.h. when one I know does 60? Why must I come down to second speed on Dashedown? I ought to do it on top—easily. I know a car that does." And so on.

Similarly you have the idiot who has the terrible vice of clutch-slipping, and burns the best clutches in record time, who habitually drives with the spark retarded, who prevents any danger of knocking, you know, and piles trouble upon trouble, who buries the teeth of his gears and wears out his brakes long before their appointed hour. He must be a constant source of anguish to any maker of no matter how excellent, how fool-proof, or how expensive a car. He is, in fact, a perambulating agent of enemy propaganda.

GOOD CARS SPOILT.

Thinking over all the tales I have heard, and remembering all the cars I have seen on the road and in the motor-house during the past month, it seems to me pretty obvious that the average 1920 car of any nationality is inferior to its pre-war ancestor. There are, of course, exceptions. One of two celebrated makers have been able to maintain their high standard of excellence, and a few, a very few, have beaten it. A few of the smaller and less famous concerns have produced cars which are decidedly an improvement on their previous models. A few seem to have remained at about the same level. But against these, how many there are who, in a laudable desire to emulate the late Kruger and stagger humanity with a blaze of ingenuity and fresh ideas, have completely spoilt what was six years ago a good car!

The chief complaint, I was interested to observe, is against braking systems. It was pointed out in "The Times" some weeks ago that the standard of brakes has fallen considerably in almost every factory, and there is scarcely one reputable firm which makes as good a motor-car brake to-day as he or his predecessors and rivals did 10 years and more ago. During the last week or two the writer has driven several hundred miles in the hilliest parts of the West Country, where one is continually either climbing or descending single-figure gradients, and where the majority of the hills are of great length. Nearly every owner in the district had the same tale to tell. "I'm all right in ordinary country, but I really don't trust my brakes in places like this." And, for the most part, it was not necessary to ask them. Half an hour spent on the road side of any really long and steep descent would tell one all one wanted to know about 1920 brakes. They appeared to be thoroughly unreliable.

Another criticism which I heard constantly made against new cars was their tendency to overheat on long hills and the inadequacy of modern fans. Overheating may, of course, be due to a whole series of causes, not the least important or common being improper driving. Leaving this on one side, and provided that the jackets are clear of obstructions, even as remnants of sand, and are properly designed, a good engine should never boil—or at any rate never so long as to endanger itself. The growing practice of abolishing the pump and relying on fan-assisted thermo-siphon action can only be successful if either the radiator is of very large dimensions, giving a big head of water well above the top of the cylinder-heads, or if the fan induces a proper draught. Yet on several new 1920 cars I have seen quite inadequate radiators, small and over-curved water-pipes, and fans which were practically useless. In former days, when engines ran slower and had lower compression, fans were not such important fittings as now, and were often omitted altogether from the design of many excellent cars. Now they are usually, a prime necessity, and it is well worth any novice's while to see to it that he has an efficient one and that it does its work properly.

A SURE CURE FOR THE "BOILER."

In this connexion I may be permitted to quote a personal instance. In 1914 I drove a thermo-siphon cooled car over the Austrian Alpine course in the month of June. Although in England I had often suffered from mild boiling trouble, on the interminable Alpine passes and over fierce gradients like the Lobl and Katschberg passes, there was never a sign of steam from the radiator. It was simply because before starting I had a smaller fan-pulley fitted which about doubled the speed of

the fan. So efficient was the fan that on the easier passes, like the Faltzgrage and Porlois, my engine was considerably over-cooled, and on one occasion had to take to first gear on a gradient of 8 per cent.

An exactly similar experience has just fallen to me. A six-bladed fan, with a smaller pulley, replaced the standard three-bladed one on my new thermo-siphon cooled high car. Within the last few days the car has climbed Countisbury Hill in Devonshire, with a following wind, over wet, greasy, and very heavy roads, without losing any water or even showing steam when the radiator cap was removed at the summit. The distance was over two miles, and about one-third of it was climbed on bottom gear. With the old fan and pulley it is doubtful whether the car would have completed the climb. It is a remedy I confidently recommend to the owner of a "boiler." It will cure his troubles at once.

Yet another instance which has often been heard is on the subject of noisy gears and back axles. Some of the new cars start life in a pleasing noiselessness, but soon develop a hum which increases rapidly in volume. Complaints, too, have been common about the noisiness of new clutches, and the clutch of at least one 1920 model of a well-known car is said to need being left disengaged at night or during long halts. Leaving it in, I am assured, means gear-changing trouble when a fresh start is made. Could anything be more ridiculous at this period of motor history?

With all these grumbings it is only fair to say that, with scarcely an exception, all my chance-meet acquaintances of the highway have been enthusiastic over the life and power of their engines. There is not much doubt about the efficiency of the 1920 engine, and if anyone entertains such a doubt let him betake himself to a really hilly district and watch the new cars at work. The speed and power developed, especially by the light class, on trying hills are really very remarkable.

What one feels about the average new car is that it contains some of the essentials of a good car, but that it is, on the whole, no better than its pre-war forbear, and in some cases, is decidedly inferior. Forgive me but they are, most of them, curate's eggs. At least, that is the impression I have received during my wanderings; and I think I know a motorist when I see him. I am a fisherman myself.

H.B. WARING COMPANY.

IN "THE PURSE STRINGS."

There was a very appreciative audience to witness the production of "The Purse Strings" last night at the Excelsior Theatre. The Waring Company certainly are workers, this being the eleventh new production they have given us. Last night's play was a delightful little comedy with its serious moments. The action was smooth throughout and the acting was of a high standard. The story deals with domestic complications in the Wellmore household at Colaba and lives in an outburst with his wife, a young daughter and an infant. On 6th June last, the accused went to his room after finishing his work and inquired of his wife if his maid was ready. His wife was sucking her baby. The accused then came out of the room and sat down on a bedding. Then he suddenly caught his wife by the arm and dragged her into the room. He then took a razor and stabbed the young girl. His wife raised a hue and cry and he fled. He was arrested at the Hospital compound. Senior Assistant Surgeon Scanlon came out of his office and the accused gave him a letter written in French, which the police were unable to decipher. The surgeon put him under arrest and asked his assistant to make inquiries about the matter. The assistant saw the accused's wife carrying the dead child in her arms. Corporal Haines took the mother and the wounded girl to the dispensary, where they were kept for some time. The accused was then taken to the Prison Hospital, and the accused was arrested. Counsel further said that for some time the accused had been behaving well and he was going to be released. He was then taken to the Prison Hospital, and the accused was arrested. Counsel further said that for some time the accused had been behaving well and he was going to be released. He was then taken to the Prison Hospital, and the accused was arrested.

He without suspecting the woman to be his wife—expresses his opinion very forcibly of the shop manager—and later Mrs. Willmore confesses to the manager in the case. Willmore writes to the shop manager, which culminates in a slander action. Willmore to avoid any possible damages makes over his house to his wife. This brings up the title of the play—the wife now has the Purse Strings. Perhaps it is as well that we should not turn down the central figure of the play with the tables turned Willmore no longer throws away half smoked cigars and drinks expensive wines, a condition of affairs which would have been a source of amusement to his wife. It is no undue flattery to the Waring Company to say the acting throughout was of a very high standard. The central figure of the play, Mrs. Willmore, had great moments particularly at the end of the third act—proving beyond doubt that she fully justifies all that has been said and written about her in the home press and here in India Mr. Quartermaine as James Willmore gave us a very fine picture of the selfish husband who ultimately realizes that "wives" are very human after all.

Miss Rita Ricardo as the young widow friend of Mrs. Willmore, who is the daily paid for her husband—ultimately getting another husband for herself was delightful. Miss Ricardo always looks so well in this sort of part and she was no exception in this sphere. Frederick Ankerley as the K.C. who advises Willmore had a trying part, but acquitted himself in it splendidly.

In short, the play was an admirable throughout. The play is being repeated to-night.

HINDUSTHAN TANNERIES LIMITED.

The statutory meeting of the shareholders of the Hindusthan Tanneries, Ltd., will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 62, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, on Tuesday, the 21st instant at 3 p.m. (S. T.).

MEETING OF PRIMARY SCHOOL HEAD MASTERS.

A meeting of the trustees, managers and headmasters of private primary schools will be held to-day at 5 p.m. (S. T.), in the chamber of Mr. Vishwanath P. Vaidya, 10, Homji Street, Fort, to consider what combined action should be taken as regards the remarks made by the Secretary of the Schools Committee on the schools and trustees and managers who dissented from the improved scheme of grants-in-aid submitted by the Schools Committee.

JUTE FORECAST.

CALCUTTA, Sept. 17. In yesterday's final Jute forecast of Bengal, Assam and Behar figures were of 15 Bengal districts, 2 Behar districts and 9 Assam districts. The figures for the remaining 10 Bengal districts show an estimated area of 2,98,733 acres as against 3,43,405 acres of last year. The estimated total yield in bales of 400 pounds is 6,66,129 against 9,18,214 of last year.

HIGH COURT

FOURTH CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

DEATH CAUSED BY CURRY STONE.

ONE ACCUSED SENTENCED.

Emperor vs. (1) Ganoo Saheb, (2) Narayan Mukund, (3) Laxman Govind, (4) Pandu Teet, (5) Raghoo Baba. (Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Pratt and a Common Jury.)

The accused were charged with voluntarily causing grievous hurt to a mill-hand named Madhu Ramu by striking him with a curry stone, as a result of which he died. Mr. V. P. Varghese appeared for the Crown. Mr. J. B. P. appeared for the accused. Mr. Mansel appeared for accused No. 3. The other accused were not defended. Briefly the facts as alleged by the prosecution, were that a woman named the police were let her husband a year ago and lived with the first accused in a room in Hara Chawl at 87a Mill Road, Parel. The second accused, Ganoo Saheb and the fifth accused also lived with him. The other accused used to visit his room. The deceased used to go to his room and ask Ganoo Saheb to run away with him. The evening of 14th July the deceased went to the room when Ganoo Saheb was pounding some spices. He asked her to run away with him. The woman refused and the deceased kicked her and went away. Ganoo Saheb informed the first accused of this when he came home. The first accused went out to fetch the police. Thereupon the first accused picked up a curry stone and struck the deceased on the chest. The deceased fell down when the other accused beheld him with sticks. The police removed the deceased to the hospital where he died. Later on the accused were arrested by the police.

The jury returned a verdict of guilty against the first accused and "not guilty" against the rest. His Lordship sentenced the first accused to transportation for seven years and the other four accused were ordered to be acquitted.

MURDER OF A CHILD.

ACCUSED HELD INSANE.

Emperor vs. Chinnappa Annamoni. (Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Pratt and a Special Jury.)

The accused, a military ward boy, was charged with the offence of committing the murder of his own child and of causing hurt to his wife and another child.

Mr. R. M. Chinnappa, who with the Hon. the Advocate-General appeared for the accused. Mr. P. B. Aiyar defended the accused. Briefly the facts for the prosecution were that the accused was a military ward boy in the time past. He was absolutely lunatic. He might come under Section 84 of the Penal Code. He was not fit for the prosecution to prove that the accused was under that condition. The accused was queer in his ways. He was a ward boy in the Infectious Diseases Hospital at Colaba and lived in an outburst with his wife, a young daughter and an infant. On 6th June last, the accused went to his room after finishing his work and inquired of his wife if his maid was ready. His wife was sucking her baby. The accused then came out of the room and sat down on a bedding. Then he suddenly caught his wife by the arm and dragged her into the room. He then took a razor and stabbed the young girl. His wife raised a hue and cry and he fled. He was arrested at the Hospital compound. Senior Assistant Surgeon Scanlon came out of his office and the accused gave him a letter written in French, which the police were unable to decipher. The surgeon put him under arrest and asked his assistant to make inquiries about the matter. The assistant saw the accused's wife carrying the dead child in her arms. Corporal Haines took the mother and the wounded girl to the dispensary, where they were kept for some time. The accused was then taken to the Prison Hospital, and the accused was arrested. Counsel further said that for some time the accused had been behaving well and he was going to be released. He was then taken to the Prison Hospital, and the accused was arrested. Counsel further said that for some time the accused had been behaving well and he was going to be released. He was then taken to the Prison Hospital, and the accused was arrested.

After hearing the evidence, the jury returned a unanimous verdict of "not guilty" and therefore did not know the nature of the act he was doing.

The Lordship ordered the accused to be kept in a lunatic asylum under Section 471 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

"A DORMITIVE TO BEDWARD."

Mr. Austin Dobson, in the "National Review," makes this quotation from "Samuel Rogers' Table Talk":—"Sitting with Madame D'Arby some weeks before she died, I said to her, 'Do you remember those lines of Mrs. Harbord's Life which I once repeated to you?' 'Remember them!' she replied, 'I repeat them to myself every night before I go to sleep.'"

"Life! We've been long together, through pleasant and through cloudy weather. Hard to part when friends are dear; Perhaps 'twill cost a sigh, a tear;—Then steal away, give little warning, Choose thine own time. Say not Good Night—but in some hush tone, Bid me Good-morning."

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time. We are not disposed to attach much importance to such a watered down amendment. As Mr. Shastri himself confessed, discretion is vested entirely in the Governor-General-in-Council. A statutory direction is somewhat better, but Government should have opened all branches immediately. We do not want the Commander-in-Chief to tell us that the infantry is the basic and important section of the army. Nor are the people likely to be comforted with the promise given by him that once the infantry experiment becomes successful, other branches would be made open at later stages. So *aste kadam* pursues the nation here also! By the time we reach the aerial force, a round thousand years will be required. The Commander-in-Chief deprecated the opening of other branches also in the score of expense and told the members that they had no idea what it cost Government to maintain the technical and auxiliary branches. They have a clear idea and they know that it is not money but "political" consideration that is keeping Government back. Why should there be any hesitation and diplomacy? Why should Indian members also fall a prey to the tactics pursued by Government? A crippled and humiliating scheme like the one put forward by Government will not succeed. People know what it means when they are told that for the present they will be admitted only to the infantry and that by and by, they will get into other branches. Such a scheme is bound to be a failure. If people are assured that all the branches are thrown open to them, that Government have abandoned their suspicious attitude, that Government do not commit themselves to creating a controlling European force, the experiment is more likely to succeed, not now, but when the non-co-operation question is settled. As to money, India will spare any amount for the purpose of instruction in all the branches. Are Government prepared to undertake the scheme? Let them honestly answer the question first. Meanwhile, they have perpetuated an insult to the people.

PROVINCIAL CO-OPERATIVE CONFERENCE.

Co-operators in this Presidency will be meeting in conference at Poona on Monday and Tuesday. Last year Mr. N. M. Joshi had put forward the proposal that the Conference should in future be held under the auspices of the Central Co-operative Institute, and that a constitution should be framed so as to give the assembly a representative character. This year's Conference has, however, been organized in the usual manner by the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, but one interesting departure has been made which should invest its proceedings with some degree of responsibility. The delegates to the Conference have been elected this year by co-operative institutions in accordance with a scheme of representation drawn up by the Registrar, in consultation with the Institute. It is to be hoped that at the forthcoming Conference, a definite constitution will be adopted for its subsequent sessions, which should, as already resolved last year, be arranged by the Institute. Co-operative conferences serve the two-fold purpose of ventilating grievances and instructing public opinion. Both these functions can be discharged satisfactorily only by a body working under unofficial inspiration, and if co-operators wish to carry the outside public with them and to extend their influence, they should set about immediately to popularize their machinery for propaganda.

Popularization of the machinery is also necessary in another direction. No intelligent body of people will feel much enthusiasm in a cause, where the direction of policy rests with an outside authority. The control of the policy of the co-operative movement has hitherto been vested largely in a single officer, the Registrar of Co-operative Societies, and the result is that co-operators, while often admitting defects and recognizing the value of suggestions, hold up their hands in despair as the inscrutable policy of the Department prevents action even in directions which they approve. This position hampers healthy growth, breeds irresponsibility, and allows defects to fester. The attitude is, besides, fair neither to the Department nor to the movement. It is therefore, interesting to find that Mr. Rothfeld, the Registrar wishes to have associated with him a body of co-operators and others to discuss and formulate general lines of policy in important spheres of co-operative activity. But while approving of the principle underlying Mr. Rothfeld's suggestion, co-operators would do well not to commit themselves to a line of action which is not in conformity with the trend of development in this Presidency. This has been directed towards making the Central Institute responsible for training and propaganda,

and representative of independent co-operative opinion on all questions affecting the movement. Hence, if the Institute is to continue to work as the premier representative body in the co-operative movement, its importance should not be detracted from by creating a new body which, being invested with definite functions and powers by the State, will gradually assume a position of supreme authority. If co-operators find that the existing machinery of the Institute is unsuited for the performance of this important function, it rests with themselves to improve it and to appoint, if necessary, a special representative Committee, to be consulted in the determination of questions of policy.

Another problem which the Conference will have before it for discussion is the improvement of the financial machinery created for the provision of funds to Agricultural Societies. A series of very useful resolutions on this subject were adopted at last year's Conference; but, in spite of an active propaganda carried on to bring the new policy into effect, little progress has been achieved. Disappointed with the results of fifteen years' work, which has not appreciably reduced the burden of rural indebtedness, Mr. R. N. Sane, one of the most active and experienced of co-operative workers, has suggested in the "Kesari" a re-examination of the whole basis of work with a view to the adoption of measures directed specifically towards the reduction of indebtedness and the increase in the productivity of land. But the policy towards which Mr. Sane is groping was approved at last year's Conference, and the only thing wanting has been the will to initiate reform and to overhaul the existing system. The establishment of banks working in direct touch with the agricultural societies financed by them, supervising and guiding their operations and providing adequate and prompt financial assistance, the elimination of the vestiges of dual control, the fixing of responsibility for finance in well-defined areas on particular banks, the promotion by the grant of long-term loans of schemes for land improvement and the installation or purchase of modern agricultural machinery, the examination of possibility of starting land mortgage banks for the financing of larger land holders, all these are questions on which the last Conference had arrived at eminently sane decisions. But decision is of no value unless there is behind them the burning recognition of the effects of the existing organization and of the dangers in which it may land the movement, and the ardent desire to better things with the sole aim of promoting the welfare of the agriculturist and the organization of the agricultural industry. Unless, therefore, co-operators devise measures for providing for agriculturists modern banking facilities on business-like lines and arrange for the joint purchase of agricultural requirements and the joint sale of agricultural produce, there will be no reasonable hope of eradicating the rural stagnation which is still in evidence in spite of nearly two decades of work by the Departments of Agriculture and Co-operation. Finally, reference may be made to an aspect of the co-operative movement with which we in India are not yet very familiar. In England, the co-operative movement took its origin as a working-class organization, combining workmen to control the distribution and production of consumable goods. The co-operative organization of consumers has now become a potent force in the economic life of England, and the ideal has been held forth of a Co-operative Commonwealth in which the community as consumers controls the means of production and distribution. No similar movement on any extensive scale has yet been initiated in any part of India though the profiteering of the last few years has created an intense desire among many sections of the community to organize co-operatively with a view to bringing down prices. It was hoped that this Presidency would lead the new movement, and a Central Wholesale Society was started early this year with the object of facilitating the work of consumers' stores by obtaining for them supplies of goods on favourable terms. The Society was brought into being under the auspices of a board of prominent business men in Bombay but, owing to a disagreement with the Registrar on a vital question of policy at the outset of its career, the new institution has languished, and the Conference will have to decide on the lines of its revival. The ideal is a true federation of consumer's societies, but as it will be some time before these can combine their forces effectively and create a business-like central body, the co-operation of outsiders should be welcomed and business re-organized even on lines which may not conform to theoretical standards of logical development. In the absence of a reliable and efficient agency for the supply of goods, consu-

mers' societies will experience, as they have been experiencing, considerable difficulties in making headway, in fighting the profiteer and in retaining their hold on the loyalty of members. A unique opportunity will be missed, for, after the psychological moment has passed, it will be hard to get consumers to organize themselves and to obtain control of trade and industries through their co-operative organizations.

Notes of the Day.

Is It Peace with the Miners?

Apparently the miners' strike which was announced by the English Press to take place on Monday next, is not coming off until September 26. Meanwhile it is significant that Sir Robert Horne has been invited to meet the Miners' Executive, no doubt with a view to a settlement which was not found possible of achievement at the last Conference. Mr. Robert Smilie has also issued a statement detailing the miners' case and we are told that he has put in the forefront the claim for increased wages. We do not know whether this means that if the increase is granted the other demand, namely, for the reduction of the price of household coal, will be dropped or modified. It may mean of course that the miners are in no hurry to force the pace and that they want to attack the citadel of private ownership step by step. If this is so, then the danger of a strike with all its revolutionary possibilities may yet be averted as the owners and the Government, which plays the tune called by them, would much rather remain content with half the spoils than risk the danger of losing all. Nor is Mr. Lloyd George in a hurry to call a fresh election. His Government to-day is more unpopular than it has ever been. He would like time to rehabilitate his character if he can. He is an astute politician and has seldom been at a loss to turn his greatest difficulties into an advantage for himself.

"The Daily Herald" and its Accusers

GOAL CRISIS.**TOWARDS SETTLEMENT****MINERS' CONFERENCE WITH SIR ROBERT HORNE.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

Today's conference between Sir Robert Horne and the Miners' Federation Executive was most conciliatory on both sides that has occurred during the present crisis. After a meeting in the morning it adjourned at midday for two hours during which Sir Robert Horne saw Mr. Lloyd George.

The official account of the proceedings shows that the men submitted proposals for the first immediate concession of the wages demand; secondly, no increase in the price of home-consumed coal owing to foregoing; thirdly, the appointment of a representative tribunal to inquire into the question of reducing the price of domestic coal with the Government undertaking to accept its report; fourthly, inquiry into the causes of the declining output.

PROPOSAL FOR INQUIRY.

The Executive also expressed the desire to accept the Government proposal for an inquiry with a view to revision of the present complicated system of calculating wages. In this connection Mr. Smilie admitted that the institution of fixed rates for piece rates was one of the causes of the declining output, but he said that if piece rates were adopted the men wanted security against reduction in these rates as the output increased. Sir Robert Horne agreed to the justice of the last demand and said that other proposals were a great advance towards peaceful settlement, especially the way the men had coupled the question of increase in wages with the suggestion as regards the increased output, but added that there was no possibility of accepting the third proposal.

IMMEDIATE INCREASE OF WAGES.

Further discussion revealed a sharp difference of opinion on the subject of the demand for immediate increase in wages. Sir Robert Horne refused to agree to this without prior investigation by an impartial tribunal. Mr. Smilie declared that this must be settled before other demands were considered and said it would be useless to try to get the Miners' Conference to postpone strike unless he could tell it that the wages demand would be granted. Sir Robert Horne agreed that if the increase in output was assured an advance in wages could doubtless be given. The Conference adjourned till to-morrow.

CONFERENCE ADJOURNED.**HOPES FOR SETTLEMENT.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

The Conference of the Miners' Executive and Sir Robert Horne held privately today, adjourned till noon to-morrow. Hopes of a settlement are said to be brighter than hitherto owing to the indications that the miners' leaders in view of the lack of public enthusiasm for their efforts to reduce the price of coal might modify their demands. Indeed, according to the "Evening Standard's" Labour correspondent, the miners have definitely dropped the demand for the reduction of fourteen and two-pence in the price of coal and are seeking instead an assurance that any advance in wages shall not affect the consumer.

A DEFINITE PEACE MOVE.**STRIKE LIKELY TO BE POSTPONED.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 12-50 a.m., Sept. 17.

The miners' invitation to Sir Robert Horne to meet the Miners' Executive to-day which met with prompt response is regarded as a definite peace move as the purpose of the further interview must be the desire to settle another attempt to find a basis for settlement. Although the path to a compromise satisfying to both sides is strewn with difficulties fresh hope lies in the belief that the miners are shifting their position as regards the indivisibility of their two claims. It is noteworthy in this connection that Mr. Smilie in the course of a full statement of the miners' case for the first time placed the wages claim in the foreground. There are only ten days before the strike becomes operative and according to the rules of the Federation a fresh ballot will be necessary to nullify the decision to strike, although the Miners' Executive can postpone the strike notices.

ELECTRICIANS' DISPUTE SETTLED.**WORK TO BE RESUMED IMMEDIATELY.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 12-30 a.m., Sept. 17.

As the result of the National Joint Industrial Council's recommendation the electricians' dispute is settled. Representatives of the employers and of the Electrical Trades Union in the course of the meeting this afternoon decided that work should resume as soon as possible.

BRITISH CLOTHING TRADE.**PROSPECTS EXCEPTIONALLY DARK.****GROWING INDICATIONS OF SERIOUS UNEMPLOYMENT IN WINTER.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 17.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

There are growing indications of serious unemployment throughout the country in the coming winter. Short time has become general in Yorkshire and the prospects of the clothing trade are described as exceptionally dark. Men unemployed in winter are expected to total fifteen to twenty thousand on Mersey and the position at Bristol is described as really grave and men are becoming desperate. Slackness has extended to ship-repairing yards and boot and tailoring trades and there is also much unemployment amongst clerks. Meanwhile the authorities and Municipalities throughout the country are considering alternative schemes and many road improvement works are likely to begin shortly.

SPINNING-ROOM OPERATIVES STRIKE WORK.**PROTEST AGAINST REDUCTION OF WAGES.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 15.
Recd. 1-40 p.m., Sept. 17.

The Spinning-room operatives of fifty cotton-mills near Oldham struck to-day as a protest against their Executive Council signing an agreement reducing the wages of the piecers and the minders without previously taking a ballot of the members. The trouble is expected to spread to Oldham.

MARKET FOR EASTERN BUSINESS.**ITS UNSATISFACTORY CHARACTER.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

In connection with the City reports of the failure in Ceylon involving a Parsi firm, the "Times" draws attention to the present unsatisfactory character of the market for Eastern business and emphasises that Indian and other Eastern markets are at present glutted with stocks. The natural cure lies in liquidation of stocks.

LATE LIEUT-GENERAL BABBIE.**DEATH DUE TO HEART FAILURE.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

At the inquest, to-day, on Lieut-General Babbie who was found dead in an arm-chair in a hotel at Knocke, where he was on holiday with his wife and daughter it was stated that he had previously been apparently in his usual health and the death was due to heart failure. Replying to the Coroner, Lady Babbie stated that she had never known Lieut-General Babbie to take drugs. He bore no grudge against anybody in connection with the Mesopotamia Report. He had said that he was not going to make any grievance, but to enjoy himself for the rest of his life. The verdict of death from natural causes was returned.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION IN NEWYORK.**30 KILLED; 170 INJURED.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

New York.—A terrific explosion which shook the principal business parts of the city, occurred at noon to-day, killing according to the latest estimates thirty and injuring 170. The cause is hitherto not known, but at present it is attributed to the result of the collision between a motor car and a van loaded with dynamite outside the offices of the financiers, Messrs. J. Pierpont Morgan and Company. Four employees of the firm were killed in the office. The explosion had devastating effects over all Lower Manhattan.

CABLE ITEMS.

The "Times" learns that Mr. L. A. Davis, Deputy Manager of the Foreign Department of Barclay's Bank has been appointed General Manager of the Alliance Bank of Simla.

The Government has presented the light cruiser Aurora as an Imperial gift to Canada.

Brussels.—The death is announced of Ferdinand Feyerick, a well-known spinning mill director and founder and president of the International Federation of Cotton Spinners.

RESTLESS IRELAND**TWO ENCOUNTERS****ATTEMPT TO AMBUSH THE MILITARY.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 15.
Recd. 2-15 a.m., Sept. 17.

Two cases of the military encountering hostile parties in Ireland in which the latter came off second best are reported to-day. In one instance a determined attempt was made on intercept and ambush the military by cutting a trench across the road between Kilmihil and Knock in County Clare. Troops in a motor tender spotted construction as they were approaching it and opened fire on the men who were lying in ambush. They wounded one and captured four. There were no military casualties. In the other case the patrol came into contact with a party at midnight engaged in raiding vacated Constabulary barracks at Ballenlough County Roscommon. They opened fire and shot two dead and wounded one was arrested. He has since died.

IRISH RAILWAYS.**CURTAILMENT OF SERVICES.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 9-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

A Belfast telegram says that the Great

NON-CO-OPERATION IN PRACTICE.

Pandit Motilal Nehru has resigned his seat on the U. P. Legislative Council and returned to Government his 1911 Durbur medal.

Professor Ruchi Ram Sahni, Lahore, Mr. Bakshi Tek Chand, General Secretary of the Punjab Provincial Congress Committee, Mr. Padam Raj Jain, Calcutta, Babu Ram Saksena, Vakil, High Court, Farrukhabad, Mr. Sakharan Narayan Naik, (C. P.), Mr. V. V. Dastne, Pleader, Bhusaval, Mr. S. K. Damle, Pleader, Poona City, and Mr. Chandra Bansi Sahay, Bar-at-Law and Secretary Provincial Home Rule League, Behar, have withdrawn their candidature for Council elections.

Mr. S. K. Damle, B.A., LL.B., Poona, has also suspended his practice.

The board of volunteers of the Gujarat Educational League has accepted the principle of Non-Co-operation.

The "Tribune's" Amritsar correspondent writes that the Mahomedan and non-Mahomedan candidates of Amritsar have decided to withdraw their candidature for Council elections in a body.

Northern Railway Company of Ireland announces that owing to the refusal of many employees to work the trains carrying the military or police, railway communication between Dundalk and Enniskillen will be closed down on September 20th for indefinite period. Dublin and Belfast services will also be curtailed.

ALLEGED MURDER OF A PATHAN.**COURT MARTIAL OF PRIVATE.**

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MURREE, Sept. 17.

The trial of Private Chilcott, 1st Cameron Highlanders by general court martial presided over by Major General Sheppard commenced here yesterday. Accused was charged with having caused death of a pathan one Habibullah Khan who was killed by a shot fired during the fray which occurred at Kachagarhi station on July 8th last, between some troops and a party of Mahajirin on their way to Afghanistan.

The legal representative of the Peshawar Khilafat Committee was present to watch proceedings.

The prosecutor in his opening address outlined briefly the events which led to the death of Habibullah Khan. The prosecutor contended that the accused caused an affray at the Islamia College station by his unauthorised interference with passengers. At Kachagarhi there was a sufficient force of sepoys armed with rifles and bayonets to protect life and to arrest Habibullah. The case for prosecution was that accused was not justified in firing at Habibullah Khan and that he was criminally responsible for his death. Formal defence was led for prosecution to show that the court martial had jurisdiction to try the accused for murder or manslaughter. Several witnesses were called to prove that the accused on the particular occasion had no authority to collect tickets of passengers.

Major Dickson, Civil Surgeon, Peshawar who examined the body described in detail the injuries suffered by the deceased, Habibullah. There were four bullet wounds of which one through the chest which fractured the collar bone and which inflicted while the deceased was in a recumbent position, was the cause of almost instant death. There were twelve slighter wounds, most of them probably caused by sharp instruments none of which alone could have caused death.

Lieutenant Hewett was next witness. The Court rose for the day before his examination was completed.

PRESIDENT DESCHANEL.**RESIGNATION IMMINENT.****SUFFERING FROM CEREBRAL ANAEMIA.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 12-30 a.m., Sept. 17.

The resignation of President Deschanel from the French Presidency is imminent. Since his recent railway accident President Deschanel has suffered from cerebral anaemia inducing forgetfulness and he has intimated his intention of resigning. It is anticipated that as soon as the formal letter is in the hands of M. Millerand both Houses of Congress will be convoked. M. Millerand has declared that he will not stand for the Presidency.

PRESIDENT FALLS INTO A LILY POND.**SEVERE NERVOUS ATTACK.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 1-40 p.m., Sept. 17.

The "Daily Express" Paris correspondent states that the sudden rush of the Minister of the Interior to Aix-les-Bains to consult M. Millerand was due to the incident which occurred on Friday. M. Rambouillet said

that President Deschanel was wandering in the chateau grounds unattended when he fell into a lily pond where he remained a considerable time. He was eventually found and dragged out exhausted by the gardener. Severe nervous attack followed.

CANDIDATES FOR THE PRESIDENCY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 12-30 a.m., Sept. 17.

Paris.—The Echo de Paris states that M. Millerand's candidature for the Presidency is M. Jonart formerly governor of Algeria. The only opposing candidate will be M. Raoul Peret, President of the Chamber.

M. CLEMENCEAU.**NOT TO STAND FOR PRESIDENCY.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

Paris.—M. Clemenceau, replying to an inquiry as to whether he would stand for Presidency, characteristically replied that he was too old to be elected in January and felt too young to accept now. He was going to India to hunt tigers which would be much less dangerous than French politics.

ASSASSINATION OF EX-PREMIER TISZA.**COURTMARTIAL VERDICT AFTER YEAR.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 1-40 p.m., Sept. 17.

Budapest.—It is now two years since ex-Premier Tisza was assassinated but the court-martial, which has been trying those concerned, has only now given the verdict. Two men have been sentenced to death one to fifteen years hard labour and one to three months imprisonment.

REDUCTION OF POLISH ARMY.**THE SOVIET'S DEMAND.****POLES DESIRE MUTUALITY.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 12-30 a.m., Sept. 17.

Telegrams from Riga despatched on the eve of the Russo-Polish peace negotiations state that M. Joffe, head of the Soviet delegation ominously declared in the course of an interview that they intended to adhere to the original demand for the reduction of the Polish army, but they could not guarantee mutual disarmament owing to the general international situation. In this connection the Poles have up to the present declared that they would only agree to disarmament if it is mutual.

CONTROL OF FACTORIES IN ITALY.**COMMISSION APPOINTED TO DRAFT BILL.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 9-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

Rome.—After hearing the representatives of owners and metal workers, Signor Giolitti appointed a Commission composed of representatives of both to draft a Bill dealing with control of factories which the Government will submit to the Chamber when it re-assembles.

RECENT EARTHQUAKE IN ITALY.**LOSS OF LIFE: 174.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 9-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

Rome.—It is semi-officially stated that the loss of life in the recent earthquake proves to have been 174, which is considerably less than was at first reported. That victims were not more numerous, was due mainly to the fact that the mountainous zone affected is very thinly inhabited and the destruction wrought was limited to very small places, scattered over the countryside. The Government's prompt measures have resulted in normal life being already resumed everywhere. Houses destroyed have been temporarily replaced by huts.

ITALIAN METALLURGICAL INDUSTRY.**SGR GIOLITTI RECEIVES MASTERS AND MEN.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 12-30 a.m., Sept. 17.

Trin.—Sir Giolitti today received representatives of masters and men of the metallurgical industry. Conversations are proceeding.

BATTERIES ON GENOA HEIGHTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 2-15 a.m., Sept. 17.

A telegram from Genoa says that the Government has completed installations of batteries on the heights overlooking Genoa and has trained guns upon factories which have retaliated by hoisting red flags and black flags.

PRUSSIAN CADET SCHOOL REOPENED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 1-45 a.m., Sept. 17.

A Berlin message to the "Times" says that the famous Prussian Cadet School at Grosslietefeld which was closed in accordance with the treaty of peace has been reopened and is being conducted upon the lines followed before the war, when it was the principal nursery for Prussian officers. German Army Teachers are again lecturing. History text books in use before the war are being used and the old order has been completely restored except in the matter of uniforms. A correspondent points out that the reopening of the school would be impossible without the connivance of the State.

GARLAND NOT IN DAVIS CUP TEAM.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 1-40 p.m., Sept. 17.

New York.—Garland will not be included in the American Davis Cup team for Australia.

M. KAMENEFF'S STATEMENTS.**GOVERNMENT CONTRADICTION.****SENSATIONAL DISCLOSURES.**

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 15.
Recd. 2-15 a.m., Sept. 17.

A statement issued from the Downing Street controlling M. Kameneff's latest throws further light on the realisation of Russian jewels in England. The Government says it has evidence that M. Kameneff was actively concerned in the realisation of jewels and that he informed the Soviet that forty thousand pounds worth had been sold and that the proceeds had been handed to the "Daily Herald". Furthermore, he reported that he was taking steps to procure further sixty-thousand, partly from jewels, of which additional ten thousand would be paid to the "Daily Herald".

Referring to M. Kameneff's denial that he had ever offered the "Daily Herald" a subsidy and the latter's denial on August 20th that it had not received a sum Government says it has evidence flatly contradicting both the statements. Reviewing the "Daily Herald's" denials on the subject it says that it has evidence that Mr. Edgar Lansbury, co-editor of the "Daily Herald", had received a part of the notations for jewels at the time when the "Herald" encouraged an affirmative reply to its question.—Shall we take seventy-five thousand pounds of Russian money? The Government says it permits itself to doubt whether the "Daily Herald" would have taken the public into its confidence on the subject but for the fact that it was aware that Mr. Edgar Lansbury had been invited by the police to explain how he came to possess some of the Notes forming part of the price realised by the sale of Russian jewels.

The statement proceeds to point out that M. Kameneff does not attempt to deny that he deliberately altered the terms of the despatch from the Soviet, containing the Polish Armistice condition to the effect that they would insist on "arming Polish workers under the control of representatives of trade unions of Russia, Poland and Norway". The Government asserts that M. Kameneff concealed the Soviet intentions under the apparently harmless phrase of "Civil Militia". A remarkable feature of the disclosures is the obvious excellence of Government's agencies for investigation which enabled it to be kept closely informed of the whereabouts of jewels, as to the persons to whom they were disposed, of how particular notes given in payment were traced through various hands and of secret contents of the Soviet Government's messages to the delegation in England.

"DAILY HERALD'S" REPLY.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 2-15 a.m., Sept. 17.

The "Daily Herald" answering the Government's disclosures made yesterday evening reiterates that it had no knowledge of any deal in diamonds or of any proposed subsidy until September 6th. It declares that the "Herald" is not on its defence and the acceptance of the subsidy would not have been dishonourable because Britain has been technically at peace with Russia since 1855. It concludes:—As it happens we did not accept the offer.

INDO-GERMAN STEAMSHIP SERVICE.**ESTABLISHMENT DESIRED.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 11-30 p.m., Sept. 17.

Berlin.—The "Vossische Zeitung" publishes an interview with Mr. Joranjee described as a wealthy Bombay merchant who has arrived in Berlin from London. He is said to desire the establishment of a direct Indo-German steamship service with the assistance of some well-known German line.

"FLYING PALACES."**BEING BUILT IN AMERICA.**

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Sept. 16.
Recd. 1-45 a.m., Sept. 17.

A telegram from New York says that a company holding the American post office mail contracts to the value of 140,000 sterling is building aircraft described as flying palaces with standard sleeping berths, shower baths and all modern conveniences and accommodating sixteen passengers carrying 1500 pounds of mails.

The Scindia Steam Navigation Coy's s.s. Loyalty which left on the 23rd August reached Marseilles on the 16th instant.

FOLLOW THE CONGRESS LEAD.

BOYCOTT THE COUNCILS.

PANDIT MOTILAL NEHRU'S MESSAGE.

(From Our Correspondent.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 17.

Pandit Motilal Nehru has issued a message in the course of which he says the Congress has now decided in favour of a complete boycott of Councils and I, as my support in the Congress itself shows, am in full agreement with this policy. I shall not therefore stand for election to any of the Councils which are to be formed under the new Act. I rejoice to see that some gentlemen, who had spent much time, energy and money over their election campaigns, have already withdrawn their candidatures in obedience to the Congress mandate.

I trust that others will follow their example and that no nationalist will go against the declared wishes of the great majority of the people as represented in the last Congress. The United Provinces have in this matter a special duty and responsibility. Their vote was proportionately the largest in favour of Non-cooperation and they must justify this voting. Workers should concentrate their energies on the boycott of the councils which is for the present the most vital part of the Non-cooperation programme and should carry on an incessant propaganda. They should approach all candidates and explain to them with all earnestness and respect that the true interests of the country demand the withdrawal of their candidatures and they should further educate the electorates to give effect to the Congress resolution. Mere passive acquiescence in the Congress resolution will not be enough. We must work actively to make it a success and if we do so I feel confident that we shall succeed.

RESIGNATION FROM U. P. COUNCIL.

The following letter has been sent by Pandit Motilal Nehru to the Secretary Legislative Council, United Provinces:—
Sir,—In pursuance of the resolution on Non-cooperation passed by the Special Session of the Indian National Congress held at Calcutta, I beg to resign my membership of the United Provinces Legislative Council and request you to be good enough to place this before his honour the President.
We also understand that Pandit Motilal Nehru has returned to Government his 1911 Durbar medal.

ALL-INDIA CONGRESS COMMITTEE TO MEET ON OCTOBER 2.

Pandit Nehru has fixed Saturday the 2nd October for the meeting of the All-India Congress Committee in Bombay to consider the draft instructions to carry out the Congress resolution on Non-cooperation and for other cognate business. The exact time and place of meeting will be announced later.

PROFESSOR SAHNI WITH-DRAWS FROM ELECTION

IN OBEDIENCE TO CONGRESS MANDATE

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, September 18.

In the course of a letter to the press, Professor Ruchi Ram Sahni in announcing his withdrawal of candidature for the University seat in the reformed council writes:—
It is hardly necessary for me to explain how keenly I have felt the barbarous treatment meted out to my province and how deeply I sympathise with the just grievances of our Muslim brethren over the Khilafat wrongs. I have also fought as hard as I could against the illiberal and unsympathetic attitude of the Bureaucracy in this province in framing rules and regulations under the Reforms Act.

In spite of all this, however, I feel I cannot support Mr. Gandhi's programme of non-cooperation. I voted against it both in the Subjects Committee and in the Congress. Fidelity to the Congress and the fear that disregard of its mandate by a large body of Congressmen will undermine its moral authority compel me to stand outside the Council elections. My own inclination was to go in and if elected to resign my seat. But others for whose opinion I have great regard advise me to have nothing further to do with the elections. I bow to their judgment.

MR. BAKSHICHAND WITH-DRAWS CANDIDATURE.

LETTER TO PUNJAB CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, Sept. 18.

Bakshi Tek Chand, General Secretary of Punjab Provincial Congress Committee who opposed Mr. Gandhi's non-cooperation programme in the Congress has also withdrawn his candidature for the University seat in the reformed Council as he is of opinion that there is one item in the programme which he feels bound to follow, viz., withdrawal of candidature for reformed councils. He how-

ever has addressed a letter to the President of the Punjab Provincial Congress Committee resigning his office of General Secretaryship of the Punjab Provincial Congress Committee and in doing so writes:—

"You are aware that I have from the very beginning been opposed to Mr. Gandhi's programme of non-cooperation. In an informal Conference held at Lahore in Mr. Gandhi's presence on 20th July as well as in various meetings of the Provincial Congress Committee when this question came up for consideration, I invariably expressed my humble but emphatic disagreement with his proposals. Since then I have attended the Calcutta Congress and have had the advantage of being present at the various formal and informal Committees and Conferences that were held there to consider this question. But I confess that I am still unconvinced of the efficacy or practicability of the programme. I strongly feel that wrong lead has been given to the country and that the Congress has been committed to a programme several items of which are in my humble judgment not only impracticable but injurious to the interests of the country."

DUTY OF THE MINORITY.

I am also of opinion that the Congress in adopting some of these items has gone contrary to Article 1 of its constitution and therefore its decision is to that extent unconstitutional. However the great National Assembly has by an overwhelming majority adopted the programme and the only proper and constitutional course for those who like me for the time being find themselves in a minority is to resign their offices and then to try to exert the majority to their own views. I would therefore request you and the Committee to accept my resignation.

MR. D. V. BELVI.

WITHDRAWS HIS CANDIDATURE FOR THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Mr. D. V. Belvi in announcing his withdrawal of his candidature for election to the Legislative Assembly writes to us saying:—
"I withdraw my candidature for election to the Legislative Assembly on behalf of the Southern Division of the Bombay Presidency in loyalty to the recent decision of the Special Session of the Indian National Congress held at Calcutta."

I beg to express through the medium of your widely circulated journal my grateful thanks to the numerous electors in the Southern Division who promised to support my candidature with their votes at the forthcoming elections. The Southern Division has laid me under a heavy debt of gratitude by electing me thrice as one of its representatives during the last ten years.

BOYCOTT OF COUNCILS.

MR. PATEL'S LECTURE AT NAGPUR.

(Associated Press.)

NAGPUR, Sept. 17.

Mr. V. J. Patel, General Secretary, Indian National Congress who arrived here this morning delivered a lecture this evening in the town hall before a large audience. Mr. N. R. Alekar, Pleader, presided. Mr. Patel referred to his hopelessly disappointed experience while he was in England. He then referred to the nationalists' attitude when the Reforms were announced and emphasised that the Non-Cooperation resolution relating to the boycott of Councils was a triumph from the nationalist point of view. The present reforms were unworthy of England to offer and unworthy of India to accept. He further showed the necessity for boycotting Councils which, he said, would lead to the country's good. He exhorted the audience to agitate until complete responsible Government was granted. He said that the Non-Cooperation resolution was not without defects, but those could be remedied and the resolution revised at the Nagpur Congress, if the country so desired. He finally appealed to candidates to withdraw and voters to abstain from voting. He said that if in spite of the Congress resolution members sought election, it should be made impossible for them to continue in the councils and they must teach Government a lesson by practicing non-cooperation successfully.

The President referred to the lecturer as the Hon. Mr. Patel to which the audience assented. He thereupon assured the audience that Mr. Patel in spite of his resignation of the Council membership was honourable and would continue to be so with a vengeance.

BOYCOTT OF COUNCILS.

WITHDRAWAL OF CANDIDATURE.

Mr. Sakharan Narayan Naik wires to us under date 17th inst. In obedience to the mandate of the Congress held at Calcutta about the boycott of councils embodied in the resolution on Non-Cooperation, I have withdrawn my candidature for the Central Provinces Legislative Council.

Mr. Padamraj Jain, 23, Kalkar Street, Calcutta, writes: "I beg to inform my friends and well-wishers that in deference to the decision of the Indian National Congress on the resolution of Non-Cooperation I have given up all my desire to stand as a candidate for the Reformed Provincial Council on behalf of the non-Mohammedan constituencies of the Ward No. V and VII of Calcutta."

Babu Ram Saksena writes:—After the resolution of the Special Congress I don't think I can justify my candidature for the local council any longer. To persist in it would undoubtedly mean lowering the prestige of the Congress, which I feel, I am bound, as an office-bearer of the local Congress Committee, to maintain and which I value more than any success that I might achieve in the contest.

GUJARAT EDUCATIONAL LEAGUE.

VOLUNTEERS ACCEPT NON-CO-OPERATION PRINCIPLE.

SCHEME OF NATIONAL EDUCATION TO BE FORMULATED.

(From our own Correspondent.)

AHMEDABAD, Sept. 17.

The Board of Volunteers of the Gujarat Kelavani Mandal unanimously resolved today, firstly, that it accepts the principle of Non-Cooperation and declares it binding on the Volunteers that a scheme of national education be formulated and put into practice as early as possible and secondly that it recommends the Gujarat Kelavani Mandal to conduct all its institutions on the policy determined for national education.

The final decision of the Gujarat Kelavani Mandal is eagerly awaited. It is hoped that Mandal would rise to the occasion and accept the unanimous proposal of the Volunteers. In case of non-acceptance of their programme the Volunteers are expected to resign in a body and join the Non-Cooperation movement.

BOMBAY PORT TRUSTRY. EMPLOYEES' UNION.

An extraordinary general meeting of the above Union will be held at Hira Baug C. P. Tank at 4 p.m. to-morrow for the purpose of.

1. Electing delegates on deputation, which is to meet the Railway Manager to discuss the demands and grievances of the staff.
2. Considering the resolutions put forward by the members.
3. Considering the report of the Committee appointed to enquire into the assault cases of Wadala.
4. Considering the question of affiliating the Union to the Trade Union Congress and to elect delegates for the Congress which is to be held in Bombay on 31st October 1920.

As the meeting will be important, it is hoped all members will make it a point of their duty to attend the meeting.

COLOMBD MARKET.

(From our own Correspondent.)

COLOMBO, Sept. 17.

One parcel of copra arrived at Grandpass today. A bid of Rs. 100 per candy was made but withdrawn.

Ceylon's reformed Legislative Council, it is understood, will be ushered into existence from January next.

NON-COOPERATION AND COUNCILS.

To the Editor of "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I had offered myself as a candidate for Bombay Legislative Council in the East Khandesh Constituency, in obedience to the wishes of the President and other members of Bhusaval Taluka Sabha and gentry of the town and endorsed by Chalisgaon, Yaval, Laver, Jamner Taluka Sabha and Bhadgaon Peta Sabha presidents and prominent gentlemen and respectable men from big villages and towns like Faizpur, Pachora, Akolkhed and others.

I beg leave to inform them, through your esteemed paper, that I withdraw my candidature in deference to the resolution passed in the Special Congress at Calcutta.

I cannot conclude without saying that the Congress has been rather hasty in laying down the impracticable programme.

Whatever that may be, to my hon'ble mind arguing out of the resolution will do no service to the country.—Yours, etc.,

V. V. DASTANE,

Pleader, Bhusaval.

To the Editor of "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—In conformity with the mandate of the Calcutta Congress I hereby publicly announce that I have given up practice in the British Courts of Law. I am also not going to stand as a candidate for any of the Council elections nor am I going to exercise my right of voting for any candidate who seeks election.—Yours etc.,

S. K. DAMLE,

Pleader, B.A., LL.B.

Poona.

WITHDRAWAL OF CANDIDATURE.

Mr. Chandrabansi Sahay, Barrister-at-Law and Secretary to the Provincial Home Rule League has withdrawn his candidature for election to the Local Council from the Patna City constituency.

DISALLOWANCE OF PUNJAB RESOLUTION.

MADRAS, Sept. 17.

Referring to the Viceroy's disallowance of Mr. Sastri's Punjab resolution, the "Hindu" says:—The effect on the public will be a fresh bullition of emotions kindled by the Punjab atrocities and the conviction of the stupidity and indifference to popular sentiment that characterise the present Government of India.

The Madras Government has following the example of the Bombay Government decided to raise the price of ten grain packets of quinine sold at Post Offices from three paise to six paise per packet from October next. (A. P.)

VICTORY OF INDIAN LABOUR.

WORKERS' ARBITRATION DELEGATES.

ROUSING SEND-OFF AT THE STATION.

(From our own Correspondent.)

The Railwaymen's Conference after a severe struggle with the authorities dispersed to-day having achieved one of the biggest of moral victories in the field of Labour in India. The success was mainly due to the subtle and constitutional way in which the delegates discharged their unpleasant duties. They have left a characteristic and successful precedent which may with advantage be followed by other labour organisations in India. Patience and sobriety characterised the proceedings of the Conference throughout and much credit for the same is due to the Chairman, Mr. W. J. Pryke, whose indomitable courage and commonsense so well succeeded in steering the bark safe through stress and strain. Several delegates eulogised the invaluable services of Mr. Pryke and one of the speakers remarked that to show their gratitude to the Chairman they should organise themselves and to spread broadcast all over the line the mission of unionism which he said Mr. Pryke passionately loved and laboured for. With a hearty vote of thanks to the chairman who was subsequently carried round the room to the tune of "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," the conference dispersed at 6.30.

The members elected by the Conference to sit on the meeting proposed by the Agent were given a hearty send-off at Igatpuri and a grand rousing reception was accorded them at the Kalyan Station. Immediately on arrival of the train, the members were garlanded and Mr. Pryke was requested to speak on the situation. He exhorted the audience to remain firm and to thoroughly organise themselves. The members were subsequently photographed and the train steamed off the platform amidst thundering applause.

The Conference of the men with the five officers nominated under agreement with the Agent commenced yesterday morning in order to settle the points raised by the G. I. P. workers.

FRANCE AND EMIR FEISUL.

FUGITIVE RULER'S DIARY OF EVENTS

Emir Feisul has been occupied in compiling a diary of events leading up to the present position in Damascus, and the following excerpts have been handed to Reuters's correspondent by a personal friend of the Emir who has just arrived in Cairo from Haifa:—

July 8. I informed General Gouraud (says the Emir) that I had decided to go to Europe, and I asked for a steamer for this purpose. The answer was that certain conditions had to be fulfilled before my departure, and if I should choose any other means of leaving the country the French would be free to act as they deemed fit.

July 10. I replied asking General Gouraud to agree to the formation of a commission composed of British, French, and Syrian representatives to settle differences according to the treaty concluded between M. Clemenceau and myself after the withdrawal of British troops from Syria.

July 14. General Gouraud sent his ultimatum, demanding acceptance of the terms thereof within four days.

July 15. The Syrian Government asked for an explanation of certain conditions laid down in the ultimatum, and asked that the four days' time limit should commence after receipt of the explanation. General Gouraud sent the explanations asked and prolonged the time limit to July 21.

July 17. Occupation by the French of Hama and Raisha, in the Arab zone.

July 19. I informed General Gouraud that I and my Government accepted the conditions of his ultimatum.

July 20. General Gouraud sent me a letter expressing pleasure at the acceptance of his ultimatum, and asking for an official written acceptance. I postponed the sitting of the Syrian Congress, demobilised the troops, withdrew the army from the front (Majdel Anger), and gave orders to accept the Syrian currency issued at Beirut.

At noon I gave the required official letter to the French liaison officer, stating that I had begun fulfilling the conditions of the ultimatum. In the evening of this day a riot broke out in Damascus.

The official acceptance did not reach General Gouraud until two hours after the expiration of the time limit.

July 21. French troops occupied Majdel Anger, already evacuated by Syrian troops, who left all fortified places and bridges intact, which showed our good faith in fulfilling the conditions of General Gouraud. The French liaison officer went to the front to inform the General who was leading the French conditions had been accepted, and that there was no need for any further advance, but the French General declined to acquiesce in this suggestion.

FRENCH REFUSE TO STOP ADVANCE.

The French liaison officer received a telegram from General Gouraud stating that he had received my official answer two hours after the expiration of the appointed time, and under these circumstances he could not give orders for his troops to stop. At midnight I sent a delegate to General Gouraud, who on his way met the General commanding the troops and informed him that he was proceeding in order to conduct new negotiations, and he asked him to postpone his march until further orders from General

Gouraud. The Commander accepted the suggestion, setting forth certain conditions which the delegate accepted.

July 22. The delegate met General Gouraud. His answer was that he would give orders for the suspension of the advance for 24 hours on the following conditions:—

"French Commissions for various purposes: disarmament of the people; French troops to remain until all the old conditions had been fulfilled; punishment of revolutionaries; evacuation of Zabadany by Syrian troops and Syrian gendarmerie to be placed under command of the French force in this region; and the issue of a proclamation, of his wording, by the Syrian Government."

The Syrian Government's answer was: "We refuse to make war, but your new conditions if fulfilled will cause internal riots. We guarantee to fulfil your previous conditions if your army is withdrawn to the previous places mentioned in the original ultimatum."

General Gouraud sent a telegram stating that the French troops were marching on Meisalon (near Damascus).

July 24. French troops made their attack on the remaining Syrian force and volunteers.

July 25. French troops entered Damascus. I organised a new Cabinet from my headquarters at Kisweh.

July 26. I returned to Damascus with approval of all the foreign diplomats.

July 27. I was ordered to leave Damascus and went to Deraa. I stayed a few days at Deraa and then proceeded to Haifa.—Manchester Guardian.

DEPOSITS IN GOVERNMENT PROVIDENT FUNDS.

RATE OF INTEREST.

(Associated Press.)

SIMLA, Sept. 17.

The following resolution of the Government of India Finance Department is announced.

"The Government of India have recently considered the question of the rate of interest allowed on deposits in special Provident funds on bonus terms referred to in the Finance Department letter No. 1093 FF dated the 28th, 1918 and have now been authorised by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India to announce that the interest on amounts accumulated in such funds will until further orders be allowed at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum with effect from 1st April, 1919. The increased rate will be subject to reconsideration, should the rates at which the Government of India borrow undergo modification. Six months' notice will however be given to subscribers before any alteration is made."

CARRYING OF TATHIS PROHIBITED.

(Associated Press.)

AGRA, Sept. 17.

In connection with the Hindu-Muslim disturbances a magisterial order forbids carrying of tathis. Prominent Hindu and Mahomedan leaders are reported to have been roughly handled as also some Railway passengers. No official account is available.

PEERS IN A PENCIL FACTORY.

By ST. NIHAL SINGH.

When I went to pay the small premium that was to afford me a glimpse of factory life in Tokio, I noticed that the hands of the little Japanese lady who took the crisp yen notes from me were stained a deep, rich red.

Next morning, when I went again and saw that her hands were a bright emerald green, I wondered if the wife of the proprietor of the pencil factory was endowed with the chameleon's power to change at will the colour of her hands. The mystery was solved when I reached the factory earlier on the third day, and found her busy mixing colours to stain the outsides of the pencils.

From day to day, as I moved about from one department to another, I found that Madame was the soul of the place. All the colouring, varnishing, and packing of pencils was done under her supervision. She received all moneys and settled all bills. She looked after the girls and women employed in her husband's factory, and paid the workpeople their wages.

WORKING FOR NINEPENCE A DAY!

How pitifully small were those wages! Skilled men workers received but eightpence or ninepence a day, while the women were paid fivepence or sixpence. For such pittance they worked for twelve hours or more. And yet how happy they were! All lived and worked as if they were members of a large family.

To see them seated at their midday meal was an interesting spectacle. They all ate in the same room, each from a separate wooden tray containing a small bowl of rice, with a little boiled seaweed or vegetables, and sometimes a little fish. Tea, without milk or sugar, was drunk from tiny cups without handles, and on festival occasions sake—a sort of beer made from rice—was served.

Little heavy work of any description was done. Wood for the exterior of the pencils was bought in the form of small logs of uniform size. They were cut into small oblongs by a saw worked by a four-horsepower engine run by gas piped from a neighbouring factory. These oblongs were finally split into pieces of the required size, and a groove was cut into them to receive the graphite, which was pounded to a powder in deep wooden mortars with long wooden pestles.

The groove-cutting machine had been adapted for his own purpose by the proprietor, who, after learning engineering in a railway shop, had saved money enough to start this modest pencil factory.

The factory occupied an area of about 2,100 square yards, which, besides providing the site for the factory, contained the houses of the proprietor and workpeople.

It was amazing, however, to see the output of that small factory, employing less than a score of workers. Thousands of pencils, neatly packed in bundles held together by black and gold paper bands, left the establishment every week.—Tit-Bits.

MINERS' MOTIVE.

NATIONALISATION THE REAL AIM.

MR. SMILLIE'S CHALLENGE.

The Government and the Miners' Federation of Great Britain alike appear to be bracing themselves for the coal strike which is threatened for the middle of next month, writes a Labour Correspondent to "The Times". No better indication of a way out of a situation which may have disastrous effects on the industrial and home life of the country is apparent at the moment than a hint from Mr. Smillie that if it can be proved that the miners' claims are not just they might as well be dropped.

Mr. Smillie spoke yesterday at a demonstration of North Wales miners held at Wrexham. The chief points of his speech were as follows:—

We are determined that the nation shall own the mines and that the time will come when the present exploiters will have to give them up.

We are face to face, in all probability, within the next few weeks with a strike. The Government, through Sir Robert Horne, say they cannot and will not climb down. That is our position; we cannot climb down. The question should be settled on the justice of the claim.

As we are part of the Triple Alliance. It is possible that they may feel our claim is a just one and assist us.

Unless the Government are prepared to give way or prove that our claim is not fair, I am afraid there will be a shortage in the coal trade in three weeks' time.

We do not desire a stoppage. We know all about strikes and do not apprehend any night-work. But there are times when it would be wrong not to use our organisation to secure our just demands.

It will be observed that the President of the Miners' Federation laid stress on the determination of the Federation to bring about nationalization. There can be no room for doubt that the demands which are the basis of the contemplated strike are political rather than economic in character. It is admitted that there are no surplus profits on coal sold for inland consumption, and that any reduction in the price of domestic coal would have to be met out of the profits of coal exported to other countries. The coal industry at present, unlike any other great industry, is contributing little to the revenue in excess profits duty, and it is the contention of the Government that the greater part of the profit on export coal belongs to the nation and must go to the Exchequer for the reduction of the National Debt. This principle the miners challenge, and the present movement has for its aim the division of the surplus profit on this branch of the industry between themselves, in the form of a wage increase, and the domestic consumer, in the form of a reduction in price.

VALUE OF PROPAGANDA.

The value of propaganda was realized during the railway strike last autumn, and it is expected that both the Miners' Federation and the Government in the period before the strike is launched will use every means of presenting their respective sides of the case before the public. Articulate opinion at present, in view of the disastrous effect which a strike would have on the country, is strongly against extreme action by the miners. They view taken by the railway and transport workers will be made known to the Miners' Federation next week, when the miners' action will be considered by the Triple Alliance.

In the majority of the colliery districts the strike ballot is to be taken to-morrow or on Thursday. Each district is a understood, is left free to determine its own method of printing and sending out the ballot papers, but it is stated that the papers are not to be of the much-criticised perforated kind which left the miner with the unused portion in his possession and gave an indication to officials and his fellow workers of the way in which he had cast his vote. Every miner is to signify by a cross whether or not he is in favour of a strike, and to this extent the ballot should yield a fair reflection of the opinion of the workers in the industry. On the other hand, there is room for doubt as to how far the ballot will express the real conviction of the individual worker. On national questions the miners are peculiarly given to following the advice of their leaders even at the expense of personal inclinations.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKETS.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 17.

The market this morning opened dull, but later in the day jute shares became active and several stocks in this section made distinct advance, particularly Anglo-India, Kinross and Kamarrhatys. Coal shares were in small demand with prices steady. In the miscellaneous section cotton shares were slightly better. Madan's Theatres were in demand and improved their position. The following were the closing quotations:—
Coal—Auckland 14-6, Katras Jheria 16-3, New Kensington 35.
Jute—Alliance 54-1, Anglo-India 51-3, Acland 48-3 and 50-3 s.l., Budget-Budge 77-4 s.l., Bally 32-6, Belvedere 73-5, Century 10-4, Craig 15-4, Clive 41-2, Dalhousie 70-3 s.l., Delta 82-2, Elmira 35, Fort Gloster 122-5, Fort William 57-1, Bowrah 64, Houghly 13-3, Kamarrhatys 59-0 s.l., Lansdowne 57-5, Luthian 60-6, Naitahi 89-0, National 49-5, New Central 101-3, Northbrook 102-8, Nuddea 84, Orient 20-1, Reliance 56-5, Standard 88-2-8, Waverley 15-8.
Tea—Panchnoi 94 prem.
Miscellaneous—Assam Saws 11-4, Bengal Bridge and Bolts 13-12, Britannia Biscuits 9-4, British India Corporation del 20, Bankura Damuda Railway 48 s.l., Champarnin Sugar 62-12, Calcutta Oil and Cakes 14-4, Dunbar Cotton 6-38, Indian Iron and Steel new 6-8 discount, Keshoram Cotton 20-10, Madan's Theatres 14, New Pioneer Sugar 15-6, Premier Soap 15-4, Sigma Electric del 75, Sanson Soap 10-28, Tishgar Paper 317, Tinnelly Textiles 50-2.

Government Paper—Three and a half per cent. was quoted at Rs. 36-10. Transfer on calling ten three-eighths pence and Demand Bills one shilling ten half pence.

It is pointed out that general information that the London New York cross rates on the 14th and 15th instants were 345 and 346½ respectively.



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MUSLIM UNIVERSITY ACT.

PROTEST FROM OLD BOYS.

APPEAL FOR RESISTANCE.

Messrs. Shaikat Ali, Yakub Hassan, Gulam Ahmadkalam, Fazlulhasan, Harat Mohin, and Dr. Saifuddin Kitchlew, who are all old boys of the M. A. O. College Aligarh wire to us under date September 10th:—

The Indian press has brought news to us that the Aligarh Muslim University Act was passed on the 11th in the Imperial Legislative Council. As those who had with the others worked hard to bring this cherished dream of Mussalmans and specially of the old boys of Aligarh to realization, we have right to speak out frankly now. Thanks to the narrow policy of the Government all enthusiasm for it was killed long ago. We, who believe in Aligarh and love it as our Alma Mater find it our painful duty due to the unrighteous and insulting action of England to request the trustees of the College and our co-members of the Muslim University Association to carry out the clear injunctions of our faith. We can accept no gift however valuable from the Government so long as it has committed itself to a policy inimical to Islam. The Central Khilafat Committee after consultation with a large body of recognized Ulama has decided that God-fearing and believing Mussalmans cannot accept any tainted money or tainted education. We hope that the trustees of the Aligarh College will at once decide to discontinue receiving any Government grant to make up this pecuniary sacrifice. We have not the least doubt that the Mussalmans of India will come forward gladly with help and our college will thereby obtain not only a better financial position but also increased popularity. While refusing to accept a Government charter for the University we can build up an Islamic National University, free of any outside control and revive through it the traditions of Islamic culture and sacrifice.

We hope the trustees and the Muslim public will rise to the occasion, which in the midst of our grief has come to us to prove that even these degenerate Muslims are capable of making big sacrifices for the honour and glory of Islam. If, God forbid, the trustees through want of faith or weakness of spirit fail them neither can the Muslim parents send their sons to the college nor any Muslim student stay there. It is painful to hear the talk about the neglect of children's education. There can be no better education for a Muslim child, youth, or man than to make every possible sacrifice for the honour of his faith. We have even hope that after this struggle is over the youth whose schooling will be suspended now will come out better educated and in every way a better developed man than he would if he continued in school under the present painful circumstances. We appeal to every Muslim student of the Aligarh College and of the Islamia College at Lahore and Peshawar and other colleges to do their duty by their faith at this hour of trial and if the managements do not give up the tainted money grants from the Government to leave their colleges and schools and get good and real education outside. They should spread themselves in the country and work to uphold the integrity of the Khilafat and the honour of the country. The Central Khilafat Committee is willing to take up the responsibility to help and guide them.

PROTEST BY ALIGARH MUSLIMS.

(From a Correspondent.)

ALIGARH, Sept. 1. A mass meeting of the Aligarh Mussalmans held on the 31st August to consider the provisions of the Muslim University Bill and the appointment of the first Vice-Chancellor unanimously and emphatically resolved:—

"That section 40 of the bill providing absolute and unrestricted powers to the Governor-General in Council is entirely subversive of the autonomy of the university and that it completely undermines the superstructure of the university edifice and that the bill with section 40 incorporated in it will be useless the meeting respectfully urges the Government to delete this section from the bill.

(2) "That the appointment of the first Vice-Chancellor by the Government should be for period to be determined by a court. (3) That the Muslim community views with grave apprehension the rumour of the intended appointment of Sayed Mohammadali, Secretary, Aligarh College, as the first Vice-Chancellor, its fears being unfortunately strengthened by his appointment as an expert member of the council. The Muslims respectfully pray the Government to choose a more competent person for that responsible post. (4) It was further resolved that the copies of above resolutions be sent to H. E. the Viceroy and the press."

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MESSRS. CHOTANI AND SHAUKAT ALI.

ENTERTAINED BY CALCUTTA MEMONS.

(From our own Correspondent.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 14. A special meeting of the Calcutta Halai Memon Association was held on the evening of the 12th instant at the Association hall in honour of Mr. Chotani and Mr. Shaikat Ali when Moulana Abdulkalam Azad presided. All leading Memon gentlemen, the Memon delegates from Rangoon and all the members were present. The hall was packed to the utmost. Mr. Moosa Bawanney, the Secretary in introducing the honourable guests spoke in brief of the eminent services rendered by Messrs. Chotani and Shaikat Ali and their worthy help towards the Khilafat. Mr. Vally Mohamed Ganny then thanked the honourable guests on behalf of the Halai Memon Association for their willing acceptance of their invitation.

MR. CHOTANI'S REPLY.

In reply Mr. Chotani thanked heartily the Association and expressed very high words for their kind and hearty welcome given to them on their arrival and expressed his heartiest thanks for the hospitality he received and presented Rs. 501 towards the Association fund. Mr. Shaikat Ali thanked the members and the Secretary and said that even though the Association was started just six months ago it has done immense good to the public and as there is a great hope for the future. He pointed out that on the whole the Memon community are the best supporters of the Khilafat in every part of India such as Bombay, Rangoon, Madras and Calcutta. Besides they contributed the best part of the Khilafat fund and hoped that they will do so for ever.

After a vote of thanks to the chair by the secretary and the garlanding of the guests, amidst loud cheers the meeting closed. Mr. Chotani started for Bombay by the Punjab mail the same day. At the station the leaders of the community bade farewell to Messrs. Chotani and Shaikat Ali.

HINDU-MUSLIM FIGHT AT AGRA.

FREE USE OF LATHIES.

(Associated Press.)

AGRA, Sept. 16.

The "Pala" and "Nauchandi" swimming fairs held annually at Agra are very largely attended and perfect harmony prevails among the numerous Mahomedan and Hindu swimmers. The fairs are held in the month of Bhadon, but this year owing to the extra month of 'Londh' of the Hindus there were two Bhadons and while the Mahomedan swimmers kept up the "Nauchandi" during the first Bhadon in August the Hindus kept it up till last Tuesday to-day and after the Ranzan moon or period of mourning for Mahomedans had appeared. The result was that rival Mahomedan and Hindu processions came into collision and although no official version of the affair is available it is said lathi fights took place, bricks and other missiles were freely used and shops were attacked.

TEA AND RUBBER INDUSTRIES OF CEYLON.

SERIOUS SITUATION.

(From our own Correspondent.)

COLOMBO, Sept. 16. Tea and rubber, two main planting industries of Ceylon are passing to-day through a great crisis. Retrenchment on drastic lines says, "The Ceylon Times" is to be the order of the day. A leading Colombo firm has issued instructions to practically every estate on its books to cease manuring forthwith, while Superintendents are being urged to devote more time than hitherto improve the quality of tea. The Chamber of Commerce has called a conference of rubber and tea producers for to-morrow to consider the serious situation.

COPRA MARKET.

To-day five boat loads of Copra arrived at grandpass, but there were no sales. At to day's Legislative Council Sir William Manning, Governor, announced that the order in Council providing for the new Legislative Council for Ceylon and the despatch of the Secretary of State for the Colonies accompanying the order in Council will be shortly issued in a "Gazette" extraordinary. His Excellency also mentioned that the provision in budget for a hydro-electric scheme had been eliminated because it had not been decided yet what form the proposal should take.

GOVT. OF INDIA FINANCE.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 16.

The Treasury bills of the Government of India on 31st August last were, in thousands of rupees, 258,641 in reserve, in treasuries 22,134, in district treasuries 63,297, with presidency bank head office 142,605, and branch offices 30,605.

MR. GANDHI'S ILLNESS.

BEHAR TOUR ABANDONED.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 17.

Mr. Gandhi is lying ill at Bolepur and in consequence has abandoned his Behar tour. Mr. Saikat Ali has left Calcutta for Bolepur.

MR. CHOTANI AT ALIGARH.

STUDENTS ADVISED TO NON-CO-OPERATE.

DELHI, Sept. 14.

Mr. Chotani, President, Central Khilafat Committee and Mr. Ahmed Haji Siddiq Khatri left Calcutta on the 13th instant on their way to Delhi. They were welcomed by students of M. A. O. College at Aligarh railway station. Mr. Chotani gave an impressive speech. He said it was the first time that he had happened to pass by Aligarh and that he was very glad to meet college students. Muslims had spared no pains to place their religious demands in the clearest possible manner before British Ministers but no consideration was paid to their pleading. The Khilafat delegation sent to Europe was also returning to India disappointed. Under such circumstances Non-Cooperation was a religious obligation binding on all Muslims. The Indian National Congress also adopted non-cooperation and he hoped the Aligarh College students would also spare no pains to carry out the movement. In conclusion he announced a donation of Rs. 500.

Mr. Ahmed Haji Siddiq Khatri also addressed the students. He said the time for action had arrived. Maulana Shaikat Ali and others had sent a message to the Trustees of the College to reject the Government grant. He hoped the trustees would accede to their wishes. If the Government grant was not rejected he hoped not even a single student would remain at Aligarh. He said Egypt got independence by non-cooperation and the students took prominent part in the movement. He hoped India also would get responsible self-government by the adoption of non-cooperation and that Aligarh students would take a conspicuous part in making the movement a success. The College students responded with great enthusiasm and the train moved amidst shouts of "Allahu-Akbar."

MR. W. S. MUKADUM.

WITHDRAWS CANDIDATURE FOR COUNCIL.

Mr. Waman Sitaram Mukadum wires from Godhra:—

In obedience to the Congress resolution passed by the special sessions at Calcutta in favour of Non-Cooperation I withdraw my candidature for the Provincial Legislative Council on behalf of the Panchmahals District. I humbly appeal to my friends of the Democratic Party to which I have the honour to belong to obey the command of the Congress. The passing of this resolution is the success of the nationalists and the complete success of the nationalists depends on the success of this resolution. I hope every nationalist will try his level best to obtain success for the Non-Cooperation resolution.

NON-CO-OPERATION IN BEHAR.

A correspondent from Behar writes to the "Search Light":—

Having returned from Calcutta after attending the Congress Mr. M. A. Samad B. A. has given notice to all his tenants in Sabzi bazar to deal henceforth in country made goods only and in case they do not agree, to vacate the shops. I hope his example will be followed by other enthusiastic persons, so that the theory of non-cooperation of Mahatma Gandhi may actually come into practice.

Mr. Samad has also taken another step. He has written to his brother to get transfer certificate from the Government School where he is now studying. Removing children from Government institution is the easiest thing which every guardian should do.

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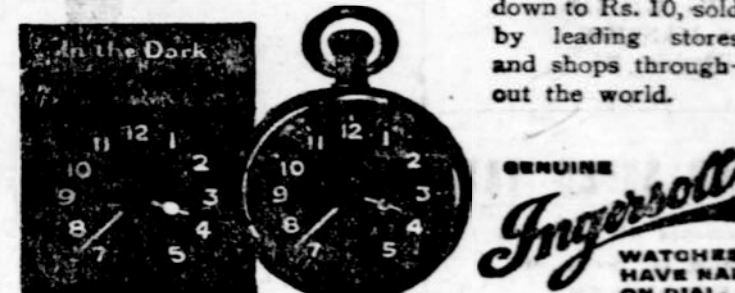
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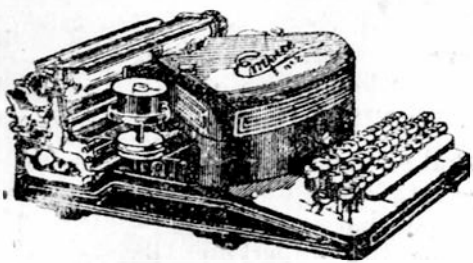
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KATHIAWAD LETTER.

DEPARTURE OF MR. OWEN.

SUFFERINGS OF BHAVNAGAR RY. PASSENGERS.

(From our own Correspondent.)

KATHIAWAD, Sept. 2.

Mr. Mansukhlal's prompt but in-
cautions and rather unfortunately worded
explanation has made the confusion worse
confounded. These gentlemen of the
Kathiawad Sabha consider any stick worth-
beating Mr. Mansukhlal with while Mr.
Mansukhlal too is riding roughshod over all
considerations of constitutional practice etc.,
in such cases. Though I with Mr. Ramji-
bhai, do interpret the last portion about
the limitations, in his explanation to mean
only a tentative provision, there is a con-
siderable section of people among whom are
gentlemen, whose opinion must count high,
who interpret it quite the other way. Mr.
Mansukhlal, or any other person of whatso-
ever distinction, for the matter of that,
cannot put any sort of his own choice limi-
tations to the admission of any people to a
public body, unless sanctioned either by the
Conference or any other constitutionally or-
ganized body or committee formed in con-
nection therewith. That is a proposition that
cannot be controverted; and Mr. Mansukhlal
could not have meant otherwise; and yet there
is room for the explanation. Would Mr.
Mansukhlal explain.

Messrs. Shukla and Kothari deserve to be
congratulated for the very reasonable atti-
tude that they are now taking up. Disap-
pearance of the absurd plea of immaturity,
absence of undesirable discourtesy and bitter-
ness and finally the contriving of the fight
with the system rather than with the per-
son, is all to be commended as a fair fight.
One would wish that the same moderation
and fairness are observed by these gentlemen
and others of their view in their discussions
in the hall of the Kathiawad Sabha or in
conversations outside, and the sanctity of
person is respected.

Mr. Owen.

Mr. Owen has seen much fire, won many
battles, met with many reverses in the life-
time of his long service; and now he goes.
I don't know, defeated or disguised in his
last encounter with that shrewd Indian States
politician Sir Prabhushanker Patil. Mr.
Owen is a typical gentleman of whom an
equal can hardly be found in the ranks of ci-
vilians of to-day. In him there is the clever-
ness of a Nagar, shrewdness of a Banis, open
handedness of a Rajput, sympathy of an
Englishman and the ability and autocracy of
a civilian. It fell to his lot more than
once to perform the duties of a ruler, and
he played his part much to the satisfaction
of his innate Eastern longings. Fond of
being treated as a Huzur, and madly in
love with flattery he raised the palpa-
tions of his hear and gratified his inner
cravings. He endured not the slightest dif-
ferentiation made by the people between
him and the Huzur and is even understood
to have insisted on being saluted with
both hands, as is the fashion in Indian
Courts. Hearing or reading the stories of
Kings of Arabian Nights, he is said to have
tried to imitate them in moving in cognate
occasions of course, many times with re-
sults beneficial to the people. He has a great
knack of scoring popularity and to that end
he would be found talking with the agricul-
turalists in the fields once, while again he
would be seen visiting waterworks and con-
ferring with women, to understand the
water arrangements. If there were fires he
would be first on the spot, if there were
epidemics, he would be seen on horseback
working hard to mind matters to the best of
his capacity. Thus, the fairness, with all
his idiosyncrasies and shortcomings, he
rendered good service to the people
whenever he went either as a political
Agent or as an administrator. He is remem-
bered by Patilana, may be regretted by
Bhavnagar, and as it generally happens, a
good man gone, rarely puts another of his
type again.

Bhavnagar Railway.

R. M. Railway authorities deserve all
thanks of the Kathiawad passengers for
their arranging two more trains between
Wadhwan and Viramgam. Not only does
the new arrangement considerably relieve the
rush, but the more pleasing is the arrange-
ment of the direct train service between
Bhavnagar and Viramgam as also between
Rajkot and Viramgam, both during the
day and night, thus putting an end to all
harassment of transhipment to poor passen-
gers. But what about the Bhavnagar Rail-
way. Why does Sir Prabhushanker, the
member in charge of the railway portfolio,
sleep over the daily sufferings of the people
of his side? Does he not witness the cock-
fight of the passengers everyday, in every
compartment for seats? Does he not mind
the carriage to carriage to wandering and
the alternate disappointments of his help-
less agriculturalists? Can an Indian of his
sympathies not have the same tenderness of
heart, as is evidenced by the R. M. Railway
authorities. Move, Sir Prabhushanker,
move for God's sake, for the sake of the
thousands of the unhappy passengers move!

INDEMNITY ON DELHI.

MUNICIPALITY RECOMMENDS WITH-
DRAWAL.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Sept. 16.
A few days ago some twelve members of
the Delhi Municipality submitted a memo-
rial to the Chief Commissioner re. in-
demnities recently imposed upon Delhi, sug-
gesting that out of the total amount of Rs.
1,40,000, Rs. one lakh be paid by the local
Government and the balance of Rs. 40,000
would be paid from municipal funds. The
proposed came up for consideration of the
Municipality Committee meeting held under
the presidency of the Deputy Commissioner
when it was decided to recommend to the
local Government complete withdrawal of
the indemnity as the proposal was opposed
on the ground that the tax-payers were de-
termined to resist its realization strenu-
ously.

WHOLESALE NON-COOPERA- TION IN THE PUNJAB.

ALL CANDIDATES WITHDRAW.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Sept. 16.
It is stated by the "Tribune" Amritsar
correspondent that all non-Mahomedan
Candidates who had announced their inten-
tion to stand for council elections have de-
cided to withdraw from candidature and that
the same is equally true of Mahomedan
candidates. Sikh candidates had called a
meeting of the Sikh League for the 13th
instant to decide the point but the same
could not be held for want of timely notice
of the point to be discussed, members not
desiring to decide it off hand in view of the
momentous nature of the decision.

SITE FOR NEW BENGAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

PROTEST BY EUROPEAN ASSOCIATION

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 15.
Replying to a letter of the European
Association protesting against the decision of
Government to set aside the area which lies
between Calcutta Town Hall and Eden
Gardens as a site for the proposed new
Bengal Legislative Council building, Secre-
tary to Government of Bengal says that this
decision has been arrived at after full enquiry
and mature consideration and that the Gov-
ernment of Bengal are of opinion that no
useful purpose would be served by reconsid-
ering their decision.

MAJOR ACCIDENTS IN MADRAS.

DEATH OF HIGH COURT VAKIL.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Sept. 16.
Mr. Widiyanatha Iyer, High Court Vakil,
who sustained severe injuries as the result
of a motor car collision with a jukka at
Royapettah yesterday expired early this
morning at the Royapettah Hospital. The
deceased was proceeding in his car towards
Royapettah when a jukka running in the
opposite direction collided with the car and
one of the wooden shafts of the jukka pierced
through the body of the deceased. The
deceased was admitted to the hospital im-
mediately after the accident and remained
in the hospital until his death. He was in
spite of the best medical attendance he re-
ceived. The deceased was the nephew of
Justice T. V. Seshagiri Iyer.

Another motor car accident resulting in the
death of Miss Beaufort, Superintendent of
Lady Annapurna Nursing Institute took place
yesterday on the road opposite the Connemara
Hotel. Mr. D. A. Price of the Clive
Engineering Company with a party of fri-
ends comprising of Miss Beaufort and Miss
Jenkins of the Lady Annapurna Nursing In-
stitute was returning from an engagement when
this car's big twin six cylinder packard
collided with a murgasha truck on the side of
the road. The car was completely wrecked
by the impact and three of the occupants of
the car were severely injured and miraculously
escaped with their lives. The fourth Miss
Beaufort was flung out of the car as it spun
round from the force of the collision and was
thrown on to her head many feet away.
When she was picked up life was found
extinct. Medical aid was telephoned for and
Mr. W. R. Gibson was quickly on the spot.
The funeral of Miss Beaufort will take place
to-morrow.

DARING THEFT OF NICKEL COINS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 17.
A consignment of nickel coins was sent
from the Calcutta Currency Office to Bombay
by parcel express. At Jubulpore it was
found that one of the cases was tampered
with and its contents consisting of 8,000 two
anna nickel coins valued at Rs. 1,000 were
missing and it is reported a fish plate was
found near it. The police are making
enquiries.

FLOODS IN DINAJPUR

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DINAJPUR, Sept. 16.
Continuous heavy rain for seven days
resulted in heavy flood throughout Dinajpur
district. The Purnabhaba river is in high
flood and many quarters of the town are
under water. Many houses have collapsed.
The river is still rising though the sky is
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"ENGLISHMAN" ON DIGNITY OF COUNCILS.

COMMENT ON MR. SASTRI'S ACTION

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 16. Referring to the action of some Indian elected members of the Imperial Legislative Council the "Englishman" says:—"The Councils are not personal property of the councillors in which they can do as they please nor can they be treated as a field wherein to display emotions of infantile passion. One would despair of the future of India if when the new Councils are in operation, parties which are bound to exist behave in the way of Mr. Sastri and his followers whenever they find they cannot impose their will upon the whole assemblage. The present episode, of course, has not done much harm and has only afforded an opportunity for laughter. When greater assemblies meet, however, it will be very necessary for them to maintain their prestige and dignity, for in their hands will be the future of India."

"UNITED INDIA'S" VENOM.

According to this journal Mr. Tilak was "on more than one occasion guilty of bad faith and duplicity towards England" though wisely enough it refrains from mentioning these occasions. Nevertheless, it is good enough to add, there was a better side to his character. Let its readers should be carried away by so wholesale a commendation it dots the i's and crosses the t's by pointing out wherein his better side lay; as our readers will see it was in the fact that he was a student of the Vedas. After this tremendous tribute it is not surprising to read of the "inevitable feeling of relief that he has been removed from further immediate participation in the affairs of his country." The crowing effort of this hymn of hate lies in the two concluding sentences which explain the animus which spurred the British counter-part of "New India" into such lofty flights. Mr. Tilak had the temerity to differ from Mrs. Besant on matters political. We hope our position will not be misunderstood. Mr. Tilak made many enemies, both personal and official. But in the hour of death the voice alike of criticism and enmity has been hushed and amongst Indians at any rate, one heard nothing but praise and regret that so great a man should not have been spared longer. The bitterest Indian critics of Tilak living have had the charity to speak nothing but good of Tilak dead. Men like Sir N. G. Chandavarkar, Mr. Natarajan, Mr. Sastri and a host of other Moderates from whom Mr. Tilak was asundered as the poles apart in politics had not a word of evil to utter but, far from it, praised his patriotism and his high character in terms which in the case of a lesser man might have been deemed extravagant. That is the Indian point of view. The English point of view has been lately the subject of bitter comment in the Indian Press. The "Times of India" which we are proudly told was instrumental in persecuting him in life did not choose to respect the memory of the dead. The "Statesman" an even more malignant critic is finding out by experience that malignity has also a pecuniary aspect. The London "Times" honoured Mr. Tilak with half a column of concentrated venom of which the following is a sample:—"The death of Mr. Bal Gangadhar Tilak removes the most dominant, subtle and sinister figure in the cult of Indian Extremism." We have been thus led to differentiate the sheep from the goats, the Indian from the British point of view; to enable our readers to classify "United India." That a journal which is supposed to be an enthusiastic evangelist in the cause of Indian self-Government, to be more Indian than the Indians themselves, which at the instance of the best

of Mrs. Besant enjoys, we suppose, a considerable measure of Indian support, could find it possible to say the things that have been said in the passage quoted above, signifies one of two things. Either its enthusiasm for India is a hollow mockery or else its worship of Mrs. Besant is so ardent that it makes it a point of duty to pursue beyond the grave with its hatred any man who in life ventured to assail the object of its adoration. Our readers can take their choice.—"The Hindu".

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE IN CALCUTTA

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 16. Mr. A. Z. Khan, Third Presidency Magistrate yesterday did a graceful act of kindness in disposing of a case in which an Oriya, by name Juggernath was charged with having attempted to commit suicide by jumping from the Howrah Bridge on Wednesday afternoon. Accused's explanation was that he had been starving for six days and so wanted to put an end to his misery by drowning himself in the Hooghly. He added that his wife and family were at Cuttack and that he came to Calcutta in search of work. The Magistrate passed the following order:—"It is a pitiable case. The accused was starving for six days and went to drown himself in the river. Two constables saw him and had him picked up by a passing dinghy. I cannot find it in my heart to be hard on the man. He is detained till the rising of the court and should be paid Rs. 20 from the poor box and despatched home."

TENDERS FOR GOLD BULLION

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 16. Of tenders for gold bullion, presented at sale on 14th instant all tenders at Rs. 23.9.5 per tola and above have been accepted in full. Individual tenders for a minimum quantity of one thousand tolas at rupees 23.9.4 per tola have also been accepted. Total amount of gold sold is 12,52,500 tolas and the average rate of accepted tenders is Rs. 23-12-11 per tola.

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Sir,—You will oblige me, as well public in general to give a short space for the following few lines in your leading paper:—In spite of legislation passed against bucket shops to receive bets on race-horses, it is a matter of great regret to find their existence in the very heart of the city, and the carelessness of the authorities to check the evil.

Now, Mr. Editor, I ask you to be good enough to raise a voice against this evil in your editorial columns, as the evil is spreading among school-going children and low-paid servants, which puts both masters and parents to some uneasiness for inconveniences. Thanking you in anticipation, Yours, etc., S. J. DINERRA.

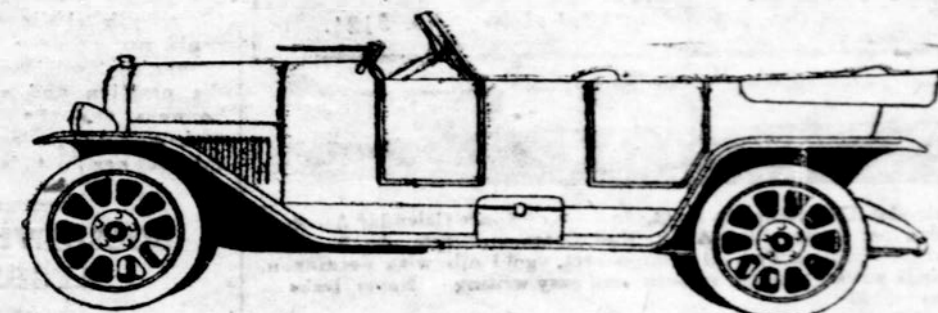
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Sept. 15.

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BANGKOK, Sept. 15. The Chief Court has granted the application of the Burmah Oil Co. for an injunction against Mr. Sampson, Field Manager and the Indo-Burma Oil Field Co., restraining Mr. Sampson from carrying on or being engaged in any business of the Oil-Fields Company relating to their property or oil in Burma and against the Oil Field Company from employing him until the suit has been disposed of.

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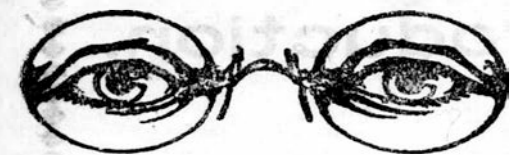
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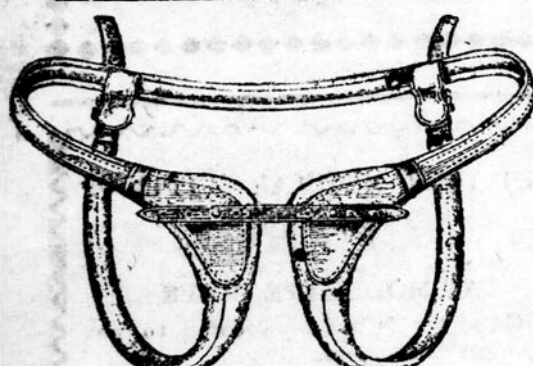
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IF LABOUR CAPTURES THE GOVERNMENT.

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(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 16. This evening, "New Empire" publishes the following re. the visit of two labour leaders during the cold weather:—

At the invitation of the Indian National Congress, Col. Wedgwood, M.P. and Mr. Ben Spoor, M.P., are visiting India this cold weather. They will attend the session of the Congress and then visit certain provincial cities. They will come with a message from the British Labour party conveying sympathy of British labour to Indian aspirations.

With regard to the chairmanship of the coming Congress session at Nagpur the situation is by no means clear. Of outstanding leaders all have been Presidents in the past years with the exception of Mr. Gandhi, but he would it is understood be unable to accept this year. One of the main subjects to be discussed will be a suggestion for the modification of the Non-cooperation resolution just passed and in that case Mr. Gandhi will wish to reserve full liberty to himself by not accepting an official position. The Non-cooperation resolution on the other hand as it now stands, would, it is believed, preclude the offering of the Presidency either to Col. Wedgwood or to Mr. Ben Spoor.

The passages of the two labour members have already been booked and the only contingency likely to prevent their arrival would be the labour situation in England. If the country finds itself in the thick of the real battle over labour control of the main productive industry of Great Britain many leaders of the Labour Party who confidently though probably mistakenly anticipate a Labour Government after the next general election, have already nominated leaders for the official positions that will then need to be filled by persons of their belief. It is rumored that in such a contingency Col. Wedgwood would be sent out as Viceroy of India while Mr. Ben Spoor would occupy the position of Secretary of State for India. Mr. Churchill's challenge at Dundee that Labour could not produce men capable of States governing positions led to an examination of the position and a provisional allocation of honours and the two which affect India mainly are to be dealt with in the manner just described.

BOLSHEVİK MENACE IN AFGHANISTAN.

AMIR'S FRIENDLY ATTITUDE TO INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Sept. 16. The frontier correspondent of the "Englishman" writes:—General Ghulam Nabi Khan, new Governor of Afghan Turkistan while leaving Kabul en route to Meas-i-Sharif took with him some troops properly equipped with howitzers, machine guns and hand grenades in order to use them as reinforcements when needed. People in Kabul are giving out news of the Bolshevik aggression in a lukewarm way and no official information is available. The Foreign office is actively busy in working out a peace scheme with the British and a very friendly attitude has been adopted by all officials in dealing with matters of mutual interest between Afghanistan and the Indian Government. It is generally felt in Kabul that as soon as the peace treaty is signed, the Bolshevik menace will either be uprooted or nipped in its very beginning. The Amir's firmness recently issued to his officials on the Turkistan frontier and his friendly letters to the Amir of Bokhara for an alliance either by a mere chance or by mischief of some traitor have come into Bolshevik hands, who after their perusal have formed their opinion that the Amir of Afghanistan was not a true ally.

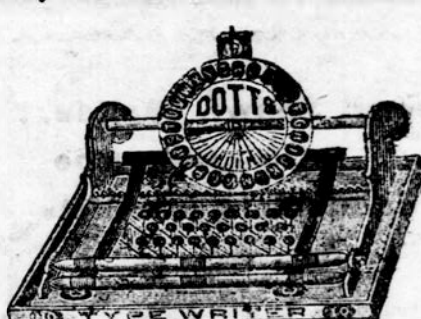
ILL-TREATMENT OF MUHAJIRINS.

Col. Abdul Hakeem Khan, political officer at Dacca who has been taking so active a part in the anti-British propaganda and who has been a channel for flow of some abusive literature from Afghanistan to India has been deposed and called to the durbar to answer for his misdeeds. Rumours prevail that he recently extracted an illegal poll tax from Muhajirins who were put into the greatest trouble and torture for its payment. The Amir has stopped the return of remaining Muhajirins unless they are properly furnished with an Afghan passport. This is presumably adopted because of Muhajirins deserting their lands which were recently granted them by the Afghan Government.

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TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."
Sir,—Will you be so good as to allow a few lines in your much esteemed paper the following? It is a fact that a large number of men Civilian Clerks (Indian) have volunteered for Field Service in different theatres of War since 1914. Many have been demobilized, many are still serving in the Field and in India also with or without break, but it is a pity that their merits have not received any due consideration from the authorities concerned with regard to men especially demobilized or awaiting demobilization and those who have not obtained any permanent footing after discharge from the Military Service.

It is also understood that a good many new formations are being introduced for instance the Staff Selection Board, etc. both in the Local Government and in the Government of India Offices and that no consideration was given in offering billets to helpless individuals especially for deserving men as provided for Europeans both in India and abroad after their discharge. It is earnestly requested that higher authorities in Simla might take the above facts into account in giving some sort of exemption for those who are in want of any University qualifications and in case of the age bar provided they are equally efficient and deserving. Will not any of the Non-Official Members of the Imperial Legislative Council be pleased to voice this in the Council?—Yours, etc.

A CIVILIAN CLERK.

Bombay, Sept. 8.

MR. MONTAGU AND THE PUNJAB.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Human frame is such that the addition of insult to injury is intolerable. The officials inflicted the cruellest injuries on Indians in Punjab and now they are indulging in condemning the steps the victims and their brethren are taking to avenge these injuries. Anglo-Indian writers as well as the Viceroy and other high personages are asking us to forget. Forget what? Are the Englishmen prepared to forget a single wrong committed by the Germans? Are the British prepared to forget steps taken by the Turks against them, whether the Turks took them for safeguarding their own interests or for aggrandising them at the cost of others' interests? The partisans of wrong-doers in India ask us to forget. Do they know this art of self-inspection? If they know, let them ask themselves the question if they have any title to ask us to forget? Did they protest against the wrongs when they were committed? Did they help Indians in getting the least semblance of justice? Did they even ventilate the wrongs helplessly suffered by Indians? They did none of these things and now Solomonlike they ask us to forget! The latest adventurer in this line is the Rt. Hon. E. S. Montagu who asked Indians to "overlay the past," while presiding over a dinner given to that wonderful Indian Lord Sinha. This most honourable gentleman asks us Indians the victims to overlay the past; but without the least scruple he sees the insulting indemnity being realised from the citizens of Delhi and even orders passed prohibiting any exhibition of notices about such realisation. He does not use his power to curb the official miscreants and uses his breath to ask Indians to "overlay the past"! This most honourable gentleman, again, thundered forth most high-sounding phrases, but ignominiously failed to redeem a single pledge sounded. By this failure he has not only exhibited that timidity which Mr. Jinnah has correctly attributed to him, but has also brought into contempt those phrases and the righteous indignation of Indians. Even as Mr. Bennett pointed out, Mr. Montagu succeeded in preventing the Punjab question being fairly treated and succeeded in preventing Indians from getting any justice.—Yours, etc.,

P. R. LELE.

SIR SANKARAN NAIR.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Will any of your readers be good enough to say, what Sir Sankaran Nair has written or spoken about the

- (1) Hunter Committee Majority Report?
- (2) Dyer Debate in the Commons?
- (3) Dyer Debate in the Lords?
- (4) Pardon to Dyer?
- (5) Presentation to Dyer?
- (6) Exonerations of O'Dwyer?
- (7) And extollation of Lord Chelmsford?

Sir, are not these actions in direct defiance of the great principles for which Sir Sankaran Nair resigned his high office in the Executive Council of the Viceroy? Can he brook this challenge quietly? Can he suffer to see this gross injustice done to India silently? Sir Sankaran's present silence is simply bewildering. Is it difficult to understand Mr. Montagu's magic? Yours, etc.,
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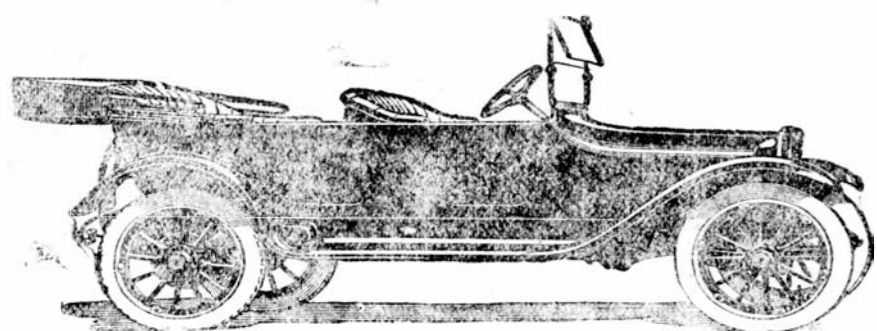
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